

FIRST ELECTROCUTIONS IN ILLINOIS THIS MORNING

NEARLY HALF
NEEDED FUND
IS SUBSCRIBED

Contributions Made to
Goodfellows Total
\$444 This Noon

The Goodfellows' fund approached the \$500 mark—about half of what the committee estimates will be necessary to give every needy child in Dixon a Christmas this year—with contributions made up to noon today, the total at that time being \$444.

With the holiday just a little over a week distant the Goodfellows are receiving appeals from an unprecedented number of needy kiddies, who don't want Santa to forget them this year. But they will have no Christmas if the Goodfellows of the city fail. The committee is anxious that the needed fund, at least \$1,000, be subscribed early so they will know just how much they will have to work with, and they also are desirous that all cases where their help will be needed be reported to them, in care of The Telegraph, at once.

Benefit Dance Tuesday.
The benefit dance at Armory hall next Tuesday evening, for which the members of the Dixon musicians' union will donate their services, will undoubtedly help swell the fund—for the entire proceeds will go to this worthy cause, and the price of admission has been made so low that all dancers can afford to attend—ten cents for ladies and fifty cents for the gentlemen for the entire evening of dancing.

The fund at noon today:

Previously acknowledged	\$389.00
Anonymous	2.00
A. P. Armstrong	10.00
J. L. Glassburn	10.00
George Campbell, Jr.	1.00
Mrs. Charles Russell	1.00
Mrs. Addie Hillis	1.00
A Friend	3.00
A Friend	1.00
Mrs. Arthur Kline	5.00
Kiwanis Club	15.00
Dickie Durkes	1.00
E. H. Brewster	5.00
Total amount	\$444.00

HOOVER WINDING
UP HIS VISIT IN
ARGENTINA TODAY

Spent Day in Confab With
President of That
Republic

Buenos Aires, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Hailed as one whose friendly visit would do much to intensify good will between the United States and Argentina, Herbert Hoover today was winding up his sojourn in the sixth largest city in the world.

President Irigoyen welcomed Mr. Hoover by saying "We cannot doubt that your spontaneous visit must intensify the relations established between our people and so harmoniously maintained."

Mr. Hoover replied that the world stood on the threshold of a new era of advancement and that Argentina was among those countries to which the western world looked with confidence for its contribution to the future.

During a day crowded with sight-seeing and various receptions, Mr. Hoover and President Irigoyen spent two hours conferring on various questions that have arisen between the two countries. It was believed that they discussed the future tariff policy of the United States, the embargo on Argentina meats and other problems.

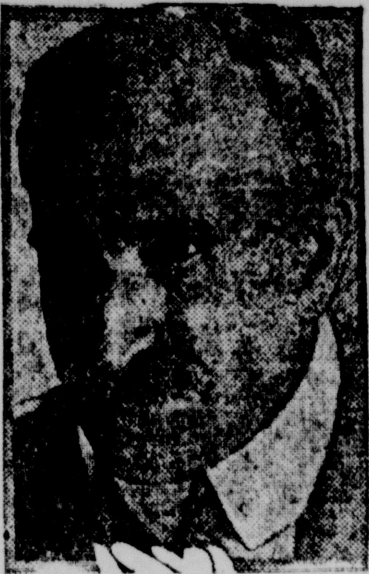
Mr. Hoover said he believed that the fundamental forces of the world were not only making for progress, but the world, and particularly the western world, stood upon the threshold of a new era of advancement. Never before had the outlook been brighter for the march of peace and economic progress, the growth of ordered liberty and liberal institutions.

The liberalism which was born of the American continent, he said, had stirred all of humanity with aspirations for freedom.

"We may well be confident in our optimism for the future of these institutions and ideals and the outlook socially as well as economically and politically," he added.

A year or six months' subscription will make a very acceptable Christmas gift to your relative or friends who formerly lived in Lee county. It is better than a daily letter from home. Call No. 5, Evening Telegraph, for rates.

Grand Old Man
of Stage and
Screen is Dead



THEODORE ROBERTS.

Los Angeles, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Theodore Roberts, beloved actor, who devoted nearly a lifetime to the stage and screen, passed away unexpectedly here yesterday afternoon. He became seriously ill two weeks ago, just after concluding his final film, "Noisy Neighbors."

Roberts, whose long career as a thespian earned him the title of "The Grand Old Man of the Stage and Screen," was born in San Francisco in 1861. The stage claimed him in 1880 after he had taught elocution for a time in the Bay City. His first appearance being with James O'Neill in Richelieu.

Roberts' screen appearances in "Grumpy," "The Old Homestead," and "The Ten Commandments" were among the outstanding ones.

The actor's manipulations with a long black cigar made him famous on the silver screen, becoming almost his trademark.

Roberts was the only movie actor to hold a life time moving picture contract, given him a few years ago by Paramount.

Wilbur Santee who has been a patient in the Dixon hospital for several weeks, has returned to his home and is able to be about some each day.

WEATHER

TOO MANY PEOPLE
ARE IN THE DARK
ABOUT THE BRIGHT
SIDE OF LIFE.



SATURDAY, DEC. 15, 1928.

For Illinois: Cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably occasional light rain; continued mild temperature.

For Wisconsin: Cloudy tonight and Sunday, probably occasional light rain, except rain or snow in north-west portion; no decided change in temperature.

For Iowa: Mostly cloudy, probably light rain tonight and Sunday, except possibly rain or snow in north-west portion; no decided change in temperature.

WEATHER OUTLOOK.
(For the period of Dec. 17 to 22.)
For the Region of the Great Lakes—Rather frequent precipitation during week; temperatures generally above normal, but may be cooler toward close.

For the Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri Valleys and the Northern and Central Great Plains: Temperatures mostly above normal, but may become colder toward close; probably one or two precipitation periods.

**This date in
AMERICAN
HISTORY**

1778—Virginia ratified the articles of confederation.

1791—First 10 amendments to Constitution went into force.

1836—Patent office and post office at Dixon. Patent office an outpost office at Dixon. House of Representatives occupied new chambers for first time.

BORDEN'S CANDY
DEPARTMENT IS
BEING IMPROVED

Big Tanks for Storing of
Glucose are Being
Installed There

Extensive improvements are under way in the confectionery department of the local Borden plant, which when completed, will add materially to the convenience of this rapidly growing department. Approximately \$10,000 is being expended in the installation of a battery of storage tanks in the basement of the confectionery which will be used solely for the storage of glucose, the important ingredient used in the manufacture of all candies.

Five of these huge tanks, which stand nine feet high, are being installed. Each of the tanks is glass lined. Glucose coming to the plant in tank cars, will be pumped into these huge glass-lined tanks and stored until needed. All of the tanks are connected with a pipe line system and the glucose is pumped to the mixing tanks on the first floor by steam pressure. An even temperature is maintained in the storage room so that the product is of the proper consistency at all times.

The confectionery division of the local Borden plant has had a very noticeable growth under the supervision of William J. Sullivan, who was sent to Dixon from New York City to take over this particular department, which is devoted exclusively to the manufacture of caramels. Nothing in the confectionery line but caramels, plain and chocolate coated, is manufactured at the local plant, and it is also interesting to note that the Dixon plant is the only one of the large chain of Borden plants, where caramels are made. Sanitation, purity and quality are the three outstanding requisites of the Dixon-made caramels, and as rapidly as possible, this particular department is undergoing changes, which its expected will eventually make it a show place on the world's greatest highway, the Lincoln Highway.

Modern machinery cuts and wraps the caramels as the large slabs of candy are brought from the cooling tables. For several weeks, the plant has been turning out more than a half carload of caramels daily, which gives some idea of the rapidly growing popularity of the Borden quality caramel. It is expected that with the completion of the improvements now under way, a new program of work will be outlined which will further add to the attractiveness of the confectionery department which is located in the north section of the company's buildings.

While there is a prevalence of influenza throughout Dixon and locality, the condition is far from alarming and generally the situation in this locality is reported to be better than in many others throughout the country. A canvass of the schools made yesterday, showed a total of 30 per cent absent because of illness. In the seventh grade of the E. C. Smith school but two pupils were absent, this being a record for the entire city school system.

PRINCE GUEST OF
SOCIETY DURING
HIS SHORT STAY

Youngest Son of King
of England in N.
Y. Ten Hours

New York, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Prince George, youngest son of the King of England, was on his way home aboard the Cunarder Berengaria today after a 10-hour visit to New York.

During his stay the British prince visited the Woolworth Tower, Bronx Park Zoo, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

He was brought to New York from Bermuda by the British cruiser Durban, aboard which he has been serving as a Junior Lieutenant for several months.

There was no formal welcome. He was met at the pier by Sir Esme Howard, British ambassador at Washington, other British officials and Prentiss Gilbert of the Department of State, representing President Coolidge.

He had lunch and dinner at the home of Brigadier General and Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and tea at the home of Mrs. Whitelaw Reid, wife of the former Ambassador to the Court of St. James.

A crowd greeted him at the pier on his arrival and several thousand persons were on hand to see him sail. A statement issued to the press said the Prince decided on the journey home, and that he had not been called.

Survivor of Worst
Wreck Died Today

Galesburg, Ill. Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Nels Peter Anderson, 68, only survivor among the crew of a Burlington passenger train wrecked at Monmouth in 1883 with a loss of 15 lives, died at his home here today.

He was a fireman on the train which was involved in what was said to have been the worst wreck in the Burlington's history. Anderson was badly scalded in the accident, later he became an engineer but in a few years quit railroading to become a farmer and then a real estate operator.

WAITING FOR BEDSIDE NEWS



DIXON SCHOOLS
WERE HIT HARD
BY INFLUENZA

Many Pupils Absent
Because of Sickness:
Peak is Passed

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Superintendent I. B. Potter stated today that the schools of Dixon were not close on account of the influenza epidemic. A canvass of the south side high school there were 17 per cent of the students absent. In the south side grades, this figure had increased to 30 per cent, but this was attributed to the kindergarten and children in the small grades.

Think Peak Passed.
The north sideers seem to have suffered more from sickness than the south sideers. A canvass of the north side grades shows 30 per cent absent and in the first grade there was an absent list of 60 per cent, which was attributed to illness among children of kindergarten and first grade ages. The peak is believed to have been passed, however, and many of the pupils who have been absent are returning to their studies. Students and pupils who are sick are advised to remain at home and in bed, but those who are not sick are believed to be less susceptible in school, Superintendent Potter stated.

**Reiner G. Remmers
Died Friday Night**
Reiner G. Remmers, son of Geo. F. Remmers of Grand Detour, passed away at his home at 6 o'clock last evening, death being due to bronchial pneumonia. The deceased was born in Grand Detour, Dec. 7, 1869, and had lived there all his life. Funeral services will be conducted Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Grand Detour Christian church with interment in the Grand Detour cemetery.

MONARCH HOLDING
HIS OWN IN HIS
BATTLE FOR LIFE

Managed to Get a Little
Rest After Disturb-
ing Day Friday

BULLETIN

London, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—(6:00 P. M.)—Unusual activities of doctors about King George's condition late this afternoon occasioned keen interest not unmixed with anxiety for possible new and unfavorable developments in the royal patient's condition.

Lord Dawson of Penn, the chief physician to His Majesty, spent the entire afternoon at Buckingham Palace for the first time since the King's illness began.

Two other doctors who had not been included previously in consultations joined Lord Dawson and Sir Stanley Hewett about 4:30 p. m. These were Dr. William Adlington Howitt and Dr. Robert Stanton Woods, both members of the Royal College of Surgeons.

After being present an hour, they left the palace and then quickly returned a half hour later, being closeted with the other physicians. The concern of watchers increased as the consultation continued without explanation of its meaning being offered.

Dr. Woods is an eminent electrologist and radiologist and his presence naturally suggested some modification of the electrical treatment of the King and further investigation of the extent of the lung part affected.

London, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—King George, worn by his long and trying battle with illness, today was still struggling bravely for a new foothold on life.

His Majesty had something of a setback yesterday after his ordeal of Wednesday when two operations were performed for the removal of purulent fluid from the base of the right lung. Yesterday was a disturbed day, but the King succeeded in getting a number of hours sleep last night and emerged today with a steady pulse and without further exhaustion.

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Terse Items of
News Gathered in
Dixon During Day

FORMER DIXONITE DEAD.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Belle McCormick at her home in Chicago. The deceased was a former resident of Dixon and passed away at her home in that city Wednesday afternoon.

MOTHER WAS CALLED.

Mrs. Harriet Pitney, mother of H. C. Pitney of Dixon, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ida McKenzie, a few miles east of Prophetstown, on Dec. 9th. She was a highly respected pioneer of that section.

PAID FINE OF \$3.

Claude Hartman of this city paid a fine of \$3 and costs when arraigned before Justice J. O. Shaulis in police court last evening on a charge of driving through one of the down town traffic lights.

TO FORM DE MOLAY.

The committee which is planning the organization of the lodge, Dixon Chapter of DeMolay, for young men 16 to 21 years of age, will hold a meeting at the Brinton Masonic Temple Monday evening at 7:30. Everyone interested in this movement is invited and should attend.

TALKS WITH ARTIST.

Atty Sherwood Dixon went to Chicago Friday on business. While in the city Atty Dixon was to meet Lorado Taft in regard to the new bridge, as this structure is to be most fittingly a memorial to the World War boys.

SEDAN IS DAMAGED.

A Dodge sedan driven by William McReynolds of this city was badly damaged about 12 o'clock last night, when the machine skidded and crashed into the office building of the Illinois Northern Utilities Co. at the corner of Madison ave. and First street. McReynolds was going north on Madison avenue and started to turn east into First street, when the wheels began skidding on the wet paving. The car slid across the street, striking the curbing and crashing two wheels as the body continued across the sidewalk, striking the building. The driver escaped without a scratch.

Wilbur S. Plum is
Stricken Suddenly

Wilbur S. Plum, well known Dixon young man, passed away very suddenly this morning at 2:15 at his home, 309 Peoria avenue. He had been in apparent good health and went about his usual duties yesterday and did not complain when he retired last evening. He was seized early this morning and passed away within a very short time, heart trouble causing his death.

Mr. Plum was born in Polo, April 29, 1892 and made Dixon his home for the past eight years. He leaves to mourn his sudden passing, his wife and two daughters, Betty and Lois, a son having preceded him in death five years ago. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Plum of Polo, one sister, Mrs. P. W. Arnbrecht of Chicago and two brothers, Cecil and Stewart, both of Polo also survive. The funeral arrangements had not been completed today and will be announced Monday.

Coroner F. M. Banker of Franklin Grove conducted an investigation into the death this morning, and it developed that the young man had been suffering from heart trouble for several weeks, a sudden attack of which resulted in his untimely death.

Attorney Jerome Dixon, located now in Rockford, was in Dixon where he spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Henry C. Dixon, and left Sunday evening for New York City on a business trip.

Jingle!



The mailman is the fellow who we ought to think of now. If you will mail things early it will help him out. And how!

THREE DIE IN
CHAIR AT OLD
PENITENTIARY

Executions are Effected
without a Hitch;
Forty See Them

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—The electric chair, displacing the hangman's noose for the first time in Illinois, today snuffed out the lives of three men in the old Joliet penitentiary here.

The victims, Dominic Dressedetti, a Chippewa Indian; John Brown and Claude Clark, Negroes, were put to death shortly after 7 o'clock for the murder last May of Will Beck, a Lake County farmer.

In the presence of less than forty witnesses, including several Lake County officials and some of the jurors that inflicted the death sentences, the Indian and two Negroes went to their death quietly, only one of them speaking other than to utter the responses of the clergymen who walked with them to the chair.

"God be with me," muttered Dressedetti as he sat in the instrument of death. Clark, the first to die, was led into the execution chamber at 7:12 and six minutes later was pronounced dead. Brown entered the chamber at 7:22 and was carried out at 7:28 to be followed at 7:34 by Dressedetti.

"Gentlemen," said Warden Elmer J. Green to the witnesses who gathered in his office at 6:45 o'clock. "There must be no smoking. You are to be as quiet as though you were in church. Follow me."

Behind Glass Partition.
Out across the prison grounds, lighted by the first streaks of dawn, the party moved to the death chamber. Behind a glass partition running from ceiling to floor the witnesses ranged themselves on three rows of chairs facing the electric chair beyond. The witnesses gazed about, plainly nervous in the dark gray room smelling of fresh paint.

The only light came from three barred windows through which three weak electric bulbs shown. Back of the chair was another window, but it was painted black. As daybreak came the first rays of light sifted through four slits on the north and south walls. The chair, shrouded in darkness, bulked beyond the partition and the twenty minute wait before the executions was used by the warden and guards to inspect the new death-dealing device.

At 7:10 o'clock, two minutes before the official sunrise, ceiling floodlights were snapped on, bathing the chair in a light almost as blinding as mid-day sun. Two minutes later the prison chaplain entered the room. Then came two guards, and then Clark, wearing a blue shirt, brown trousers with the right leg slit, and felt slippers. He was followed by two more guards.

Two Wore Hoods.
Clark entered the room without a hood. Brown and Dressedetti, however, hid their eyes from the chair under a black shroud. Clark walked erect, glanced curiously at the chair before being seated in it, then closed his eyes and seemed to grit his teeth without uttering a word.

At 7:12 at a signal from the warden, a red light back of the chair glowed feebly then sprang to brilliance. The light turned to green and Clark's body stiffened in the chair. Three physicians pronounced him dead.

Brown, similarly dressed, appeared with his guards and the same procedure followed. Then came the Indian, Bressetti. The Negroes were accompanied by a protestant minister, but Bressetti, who had professed the Catholic faith, had with him a Franciscan priest.

Warden Green expressed himself as well satisfied with the manner in which the executions had been carried out. He said that there was not a hitch anywhere and that the sentences of death had been executed as speedily and humanely as was possible.

Their Last Hours.

The three men spent their last hours writing letters to relatives and persons who had befriended them. Bressetti was the only one who wanted food when it was offered at mid-night. He ate ham and eggs, toast and coffee. He was visited last evening by an uncle, Frank Bressetti of Bayfield, Wis., who claimed his body. Clark's body was claimed by an aunt, Mrs. Toney B. Waker of Chicago, and Brown's body lay unclaimed. It will be buried in Potter's field.

Beck, the victim of the three men, loaned Bressetti money when Bressetti asked for work. The Indian saw where Beck hid his fortune and came to Chicago and enlisted the aid

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TODAY'S MARKET REPORTS

Chicago Grain Table

By Associated Press Leased Wire.
Year Ago Yesterday Today
Close Close Opening

WHEAT—
Dec. 1.26% 1.16% 1.16%
Mar. 1.28% 1.19% 1.19%
May 1.30% 1.22 1.22%

CORN—
Dec. 85 83% 84%
Mar. 88% 87 88
May 92% 90 90%

OATS—
Dec. 52% 48% 48%
Mar. 52% 48% 48%
May 52% 48% 49

RYE—
Dec. 1.07% 1.00% 1.01%
Mar. 1.08% 1.04% 1.04%
May 1.09% 1.07 1.07%

LARD—
Dec. 11.37 10.97 10.97
Jan. 11.97 11.55 11.55
Mar. 11.80 11.80 11.80
May 12.25 12.05 12.07

BEANS—
Dec. 10.20 10.35
Jan. 11.10 10.65
May 11.32

BELLIES—
Dec. 11.50 11.75
Jan. 11.95 12.07
Mar. 12.50
May 12.45

CHICAGO CASH GRAIN
Chicago, Dec. 15—(AP)—Wheat No. 2 hard 1.20%; No. 5 hard 1.06; sample grade hard 97.
Corn No. 4 mixed 79% @ 80%; No. 5 mixed 78% @ 79; No. 6 mixed 76; No. 4 yellow 80% @ 81; No. 5 yellow 78% @ 79; No. 6 yellow 76% @ 77; No. 4 white 80% @ 81; No. 5 white 79; No. 6 white 76%; sample grade 73% @ 75.
Oats No. 28 white 49% @ 50; No. 3 white 46% @ 48.
No sales rye.
Barley 55 @ 70.
Timothy seed 5.65 @ 6.25.
Clover seed 23.25 @ 31.50.
Lard 10.97.
Ribs 10.50.
Bellies 11.75.

CHICAGO STOCKS
Amer States Sec A 11%
Auburn Auto 12%
Beatrice Creamery 87
Bendix B 99
Borg-Warner 132
Butler Bros 36%
Cons. Co. Com 11%
Galesburg-Coulter Disc 12%
Grigsby-Grunow 11%
Inland Wire & Cable 77%
Kalamazoo Stove 112
Keystone Steel & Wire 52%
Lion Oil Ref 32%
Meadows Mfg Co 13%
Perfect Circle 51
Super-Maid 70
Swift & Co 133%
Swift Intl 36%
Zenith Radio 45.
Total stock sales, 75,000.
Total bond sales 22,000.

WALL STREET CLOSE
All Chem & Dye 22%
Am Can 96%
Am Car & Fdy 93%
Am Loco 97%
Am Sm & Ref 261
Am Sug 81%
Am T & T 100%
Am Tob B 17%
Am Woolen 24
Anaconda 105%
Armour B 6
Atchison 193%
Atl Cst Line 163
Atl Ref 55%
B & O 118
Beth Stl 80%
Ches & Pac 108%
C. M. & P & Pac pfd 553%
C. & N. W. 87
Rock & T 127%
Chrysler 116%
Col Fuel 65
Col Gas & El 129
Cons Gas 99%
Corn Prod 87%
Du Pont de Nem 469
Erie 68%
Fleischmann 76%
Freeport-Tex 50%
Gen Elec 181
Gen Mot 184%
Gen Ry Sls 93
Gillette Saf Raz 114%
Gold Dust 125%
Gr. Nor pfd 107%
Gr. Nor Ir Ore cto 26%
Gt. Nor Ore Cto 166%
Hudson Oil 82
Hudson Motors 83%
Int Com Eng 63%
Int Harvester new 81%
Int Mer Mar pfd 35%
Int Nickel 249
Inter Tel & Tel 190
Kan City South 87
Kennecott 133%
Mack Truck 99%
Marland Oil 42
Mo. Kan & Tex 50%
Mo. Pac 62%
Mont Ward 118%
Nash Motors 95%
N. Y. Central 185
N. Y. N. H. & Hfd 74%
Nor Amer 84%
Nor Pac 104%
Packard 147%
Pan Am Pet B 48
Paramt Fam Las 53
Penn 72
Phillips Pet 44%
Postum 65%
Radio 338
Reading 105%
Rem-Rand 29
Rep Ir & St 77
Reynolds Tob B 154
St. L. & San Fran 114%
Seaboard Air Line 17%
Sears Roebuck 158%
Sinclair Con Oil 37
Southern Pac 125%
Southern Ry 144%
St. Oil, N. Y. 70%
St. Oil, N. Y. 52%
St. Oil, N. Y. 38%
Studebaker 72%
Texas Corp 64%
Tex Gulf Sul 73
Tex Pac Ld Tr 21%
Timken Roll Brg 137%
Union Carbide 180%
Union Pac 207%
U. S. Ind Ale 126
U. S. Rub 41
U. S. Steel 151%
Vanadium 90
Wabash 72%
West. Maryland 42%
Westinghouse Elec 122%
Wills-Overland 28%
Woolworth 202
Yellow Tk 35%
Am Rad 184%
Walworth 28%

Clearing House Report
New York, Dec. 15—(AP)—The weekly statement of the New York Clearing House Association shows: Total surplus and undivided profits unchanged.
Net demand deposits (average) \$142,163,000 decrease.
Time deposits (average) \$3,487,000.
Clearings week ended Dec. 15 \$9,943,158.
Clearings week ended Dec. 8 \$9,958,150.
Clearings this day \$1,712,701,442.

Chicago Livestock
Chicago, Dec. 15—(AP)—Hogs: receipts 10,000; market active strong with Friday's average; top 8.75 largely an 8.60 @ 8.70 market on better grade 180-300 lbs; shippers 1000; estimated holdover 000; butchers, medium to choice 250-300 lbs 8.45 @ 8.75; 200-250 lbs 8.45 @ 8.75; 160-200 lbs 8.35 @ 8.70; 130-160 lbs 7.75 @ 8.60; packing sows 7.60 @ 8.25; pigs, medium to choice 90-130 lbs 6.75 @ 8.25.
Cattle: receipts 1000; compared with a week ago fed steers and yearlings 75 @ 1.50 lower; some light and mixed yearlings as much as 2.00 off; killing quality less desirable than last week; turning some of this week's downturn in to a paper affair; fat cows and butcher heifers 50c @ 1.25 off; cutters fully steady; bulls 50 @ 75c down; vealers 2.00 @ 3.00 lower; stockers and feeders 25 @ 50c off; supply figures excessive; short feeds predominated; country demand stockers and feeders rather narrow; yery nearly similarly finished steers and yearlings sold over a wide price spread; extreme top Christmas yearlings 17.25; prime heavy steers 16.50; bulk fat steers 11.75 @ 14.00.
Sheep: receipts 2000; for the week 25c direct; decreased supply attributed to reduced native quota demand for local slaughter light; shipper demand fairly broad; mid week weakness on inbetween kinds eased; closing fat lamb prices strong to mostly 25c higher than a week ago; fat ewes 25 @ 50c higher; feeding lambs strong; the week's top prices fat lambs 14.35; fat ewes 8.00; yearling wethers 12.00; the week's bulk prices: fat lambs 13.75 @ 14.10; native throwouts 10.50 @ 11.50; good yearlings 11.00 @ 11.50; fat ewes 6.25 @ 7.25; feeding lambs 12.75 @ 13.75.
Unofficial estimates for Monday: hogs 65,000, cattle 19,000, sheep 25,000. Hogs for all next week 220,000.

Chicago Produce
Chicago, Dec. 15—(AP)—Poultry alive, steady; receipts 2 cars; fowls 24%; springs 26%; roosters 20; turkeys 24; ducks 7 @ 23; geese 21 @ 22.
Butter lower; receipts 6818 tubs; creamery extras 49%; standards 48%; extra firsts 48 @ 48%; firsts 45 @ 47; seconds 43 @ 44%.
Eggs lower; receipts 3756 cases; extra firsts 41 @ 42; firsts 38 @ 40; ordinary firsts 30 @ 36; refrigerator extras 32; refrigerator firsts 31.
Potatoes receipts 96 cars; on track

Local Markets
DIXON MILK PRICE
From Nov. 1 until further notice the Borden company will pay for direct ratio.
milk testing 4 per cent butter fat received \$2.45 per hundred pounds for

TUTORING SCHOOL
MISS ANNE EUSTACE WILL HOLD TUTORING CLASSES FOR THOSE WHO NEED HELP IN THE FOLLOWING SUBJECTS: LATIN, FRENCH, ENGLISH, HISTORY AND CIVICS FOR COLLEGE HIGH SCHOOL OR SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADES. CALL PHONE X992.

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C. D. ANDERSON, Manager
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Dixon National Bank Bldg.

Local Briefs

George Scott is recovering from a severe case of la grippe.
Mrs. Louise Zimble is very ill with the flu.

Mrs. LeRoy Buhler of Dixon is a guest for a few days this week at the home of her sister, Mrs. C. G. Rosecrans in Ashton.

You should see our Christmas Greeting Cards. They are beautiful, very beautiful. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

Mrs. Homer Miller of LaSalle was a Dixon caller on Friday.

A. R. Carnes has recovered from his recent indisposition and is again at his place of business.

Mrs. Kathryn Schoaf has returned to her work at Kline's Auto Supply Co. after a short absence because of sickness.

—Pay your subscription a year in advance and we will give you one of our fine new Lee county maps. Dixon Evening Telegraph.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hewitt of Rio de Janeiro, who have been in the United States six weeks on business, sailed for home today on the steamer Western World, Mr. Hewitt being engaged in the engineering profession in the Brazilian city. He is kin of Mrs. Arthur Morris of Franklin Grove and W. C. Durkes of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Avery of Pulten, Ill., were Dixon visitors Friday afternoon.

Miss Lydia Watson of Mendota visited Dixon friends Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Austin of Milledgeville was here on business Friday afternoon.

Miss Olive Kerz of the City National Bank, who has been ill, has returned to her duties at the bank.

Mrs. August Cline of Mt. Morris motored to Dixon on business Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clendenning of Polo were here on business Friday morning.

Select your Christmas cards now or it will be too late. At the Evening Telegraph office. A beautiful and varied line.

Dewey Kinn, who has been quite ill with influenza is reported to be much improved.

William Bohart of Ashton who has been confined to his home the past week suffering with the flu, is reported to be improving. Mr. and Mrs. George Aschenbrenner of Dixon visited Tuesday with the latter's brother, Mr. Bohart.

Funeral of Sister of Dixonites Here

The funeral of the late Mrs. R. C. Miller who passed away yesterday at her home in Rockford will be held Sunday. Services will be conducted at 1 o'clock from the late home, 1314 at Blaisdell street, Rockford.

Dixon and short services will be conducted at the grave in Oakwood cemetery at 3:30 where interment will be made.

She was born in Sublette, Ill., Sept. 1, 1875, and was married there Oct. 4, 1890. She had resided in Rockford 15 years and was a member of Grace M. E. church.

Besides the husband, she is survived by a daughter, Miss Beulah Miller, at home, and a son, Robert Miller, of Los Angeles, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Brown. She also leaves three brothers, Foy and Harris Brown of Dixon, and William of Chicago.

A NEW NUMBER
THOSE: Do you know the gorilla song?
THEM: Was iss?
THOSE: Gorilla my dreams, I love you—Judge.

The Prairieville Social circle will meet all day Wednesday with Mrs. Jesse Sivits. This is the Christmas meeting with grab bag for young and old.

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Altar New Goal of Grid Star



Now that the football season is over and there's no penalty for holding Kenneth Strong, star halfback of the New York University football team and a member of the mythical All-American, didn't mind posing for this picture. For the girl, pretty Rella Harrison, Broadfinger, and showgirl, soon is to be Mrs. Strong.

MONARCH HOLDING HIS OWN IN HIS BATTLE FOR LIFE

(Continued from Page 1)

Morning Bulletin
This morning's bulletin, which served to alleviate somewhat the dismay felt last night, was as follows:
"The King has had several hours sleep. The local condition is so far satisfactory. There is no increase in the exhaustion and the pulse remains steady."

This bulletin was signed by Sir Stanley Hewitt and Lord Dawson of Penn. His Majesty's regular physicians and by Sir Hugh Rigby, noted surgeon, who performed Wednesday's operation.

The fact that His Majesty was able to obtain several hours sleep was pointed to as a favorable sign while continuation of the steady pulse coupled with a slight improvement in the local condition which the bulletin mentioned was regarded as reassuring.

Ill Four Weeks
It was just four weeks ago today Saturday, Nov. 17—that the first symptoms of the King's illness appeared. During all that time his progress has been followed with the closest sympathy by his subjects and today there was a considerable crowd on hand at the palace gates for the posting of the morning bulletin. There was anxiety among the spectators not only because of last night's rather unfavorable bulletin but also because doctors had delayed issuing their report sometime after the customary hour.

There was much relief when it was learned that the King had had a better night, that the local condition after the operation was thus far satisfactory and that at least His Majesty was no weaker.

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HOLDING OUT
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CARBONDALE DUO MURDER CONTINUES A MYSTERY

Search for Automatic Pistol Used Not Successful

Carbondale, Ill., Dec. 15—(AP)—Still searching for the automatic pistol used in the slaying of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hundley at their home Wednesday night, police today found the double crime as much a mystery as ever.

Victor A. Hundley, 39-year-old son of the slain man by a former marriage, remained in technical custody, although he was permitted to return to his home after hours of questioning yesterday.

Victor Hundley's mother, now Mrs. M. A. Percival of Memphis, Tenn., was reported in dispatches last night as having confidence in her son's statements that he was in his own home the night of the slayings. "It is inconceivable," she was quoted as saying, "that Victor would kill in a sneaking way."

The pistol for which search is now being made is the one which the younger Hundley said he had lent his father some weeks ago.

Automobile Clubs to Discuss Gas Tax

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 16—(AP)—Whether the automobile owners in Illinois will favor the passage by the next Assembly of a gasoline tax will be decided here January 7 at a meeting of representatives of various clubs affiliated with the National Automobile Association.

At this meeting, bills sponsored by various sources for introduction in the legislature will be studied and a decision reached. It is believed that the clubs will favor a tax, inasmuch as some new source of revenue becomes necessary to finish the state system of hard roads.

It was not known here whether the Chicago Motor Club would be represented at the meeting. This organization was the most active opponent of the gasoline tax bill in the last Assembly and its efforts resulted in the unfavorable opinion by the Supreme Court on the gas tax law.

Oldest Odd Fellow in State is Dead

Pittsfield, Ill., Dec. 15—(AP)—Isaac Straus, one of the largest mass farmers in western Illinois and said to be the oldest Odd Fellow in the state, died at his home here today of infirmities incident to old age. He was 82.

Coming to Pittsfield sixty-five years ago as a peddler, Mr. Straus opened a department store that has since grown to be the largest in this section of the state. He operated under one management farms totalling 20,000 acres in Pike, Adams, Scott, Brown and Calhoun counties.

League Council in Another Peace Plea

Lugano, Switzerland, Dec. 15—(AP)—The Council of the League of Nations today voted to send a new appeal to Bolivia and Paraguay to settle their border dispute by Pacific methods and in the meantime to refrain from military measures.

It further declared that the conference should take "a prudent and effective course" in the dispute "with the assurance of general approval for its endeavor," and added "the friendly proceedings of an assembly of sister republics must find favorable echo and most sympathetic reception, especially in the spirit of the nations directly interested in the incident."

Just what good this will result in can perhaps be determined when the replies are received from the Paraguayan and Bolivian governments.

TURKEY SHOOT

December 20th
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SOCIETY NEWS

Calendar of Coming Events

Monday
Chapter AC, Ill P. E. O.—Mrs. S. W. Lehman, 113 Dement avenue.
Peoria Avenue Reading club—Mrs. E. D. Alexander, 208 Everett street.
O. E. S. Parlor Club—Masonic Temple.
Golden Rule Circle—Miss Anna Johnson, 519 Squires avenue.
Ladies of the G. A. R. Circle—G. A. R. Hall.

Tuesday
Wartburg League — Immanuel Lutheran church.
Baldwin Auxiliary, U. S. W. V.—G. A. R. Hall.
Stjerner Club Christmas Party—Mrs. Frank Forman, 915 W. Third St.
K. T. Auxiliary—Masonic Temple.

Wednesday
Palmyra Mutual Aid Society—Mrs. Frank Alter.

ARTIST'S DAUGHTER

(A Painting.)
MAIDEN sweet with youthful grace,
Bearing aloft on dimpled hand
A dish of luscious fruit.
Rich tones show in the gold brocade

Of the simple gown;
Jewels glitter in the bright hair;
A luxurious red curtain
Forms a colorful background;
The ripe fruit is deliciously tinted;
But the fresh coloring
On rosy face and rounded neck
Is fairest of all the radiant colors.
O, happy, sturdy Lavinia!
Pausing in play
To pose for thy father,
The great Titian,
And to give him the color effect he loves.

—Jessie Linkletter.

Missionary Society of Grace Church in Meet

The W. M. S. of Grace Evangelical church met on Thursday afternoon at the church. The following program was given:
Song—"Rescue the Perishing."
Devotionals—Mrs. Frank Glessner.
Song—"True Hearted, Whole Hearted."

Leaflet, "Careless Daughters."—Mrs. Mary Flick.
Lesson Study, "Living Conditions in Africa"—Mrs. I. S. Graybill.
Duet—Mrs. Archie Klein and Mrs. Burt Hartman.

Leaflet, "Just Like Women"—Mrs. Vernon Schrock.
A business session was held after which the following officers were elected for the coming year:
President—Miss Anna Johnson.
First Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Sarah Reis.
Second Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Frank Glessner.

Secretary—Mrs. Archie Klein.
Treasurer—Mrs. Ben Gagstetter.
Cor. Treasurer—Mrs. C. J. Shults.
Pianist—Mrs. Fred Krahler.
Asst. Pianist—Mrs. Sarah Reis.
A social hour was enjoyed in the basement and tempting refreshments were served.

The hostesses for the afternoon were Mrs. L. Sindlinger and Mrs. Mary Flick.

SPECIAL MUSIC AT M. E. CHURCH SUNDAY—

Mesdames E. M. Goodsell and Grover will sing "Hark, Hark My Soul," by Shelly, as a special number at the morning service of the M. E. church tomorrow. In the evening Mrs. Lester Wilhelm, soprano, will sing Scott's "The Voice of One Crying in the Wilderness."

STJERNAN CLUB TO HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY—

The Stjerner club will hold their Christmas party Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Frank Forman, 915 West Third street. Members please note change of date and place of party.

MENU for the FAMILY

BY SISTER MARY

Breakfast—California grapes, cereal, cream, country sausage, buckwheat pancakes, crisp toast, milk, coffee.

Luncheon—Casserole of beans, head lettuce with French dressing, spice drop cakes, canned cherries, milk, tea.

Dinner—Casserole of rabbit, baked macaroni and tomatoes, shredded cabbage and pimento salad, date pudding, milk, coffee.

Casserole of Beans

One cup of dried lima beans, 2 carrots, 2 onions, 2 cups canned tomatoes, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, 1 cup cold chopped meat, 2 tablespoons butter. Soak beans over night in cold water to cover. Cook until tender in salted boiling water. Scrape and slice carrots, peel and slice onions. Combine with beans which have been drained from water in which they were cooked. Heat tomatoes with sugar, salt and pepper. Simmer ten minutes with beans, carrots and onions. Arrange meat in a well-buttered casserole and cover with vegetable mixture. Dot with bits of butter and bake 30 minutes in a hot oven.

Any kind of left-over chopped meat can be used or a combination of meats.

W. M. S. of Bethel Church Held Meeting

The W. M. S. of Bethel U. E. church met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harrison Wadsworth. The meeting was opened by a solo on the Victrola, "The Holy City."

Prayer by Mrs. S. B. Quincer, followed. The night was followed by the song, "Silent Night, Holy Night." The Scripture Reading was given by Mrs. Harrison Wadsworth.

A leaflet by Mrs. W. T. Greig and a reading written by Mrs. Josie McLain was read by Mrs. Carl Hess, both being very interesting.

The topic, "The Red Man" was fully developed by Mrs. J. Nelson.

Song, "This So Sweet to Trust in Jesus."

Many members gave interesting missionary news.

Reading, "Christmas Bells," by Cleora Wadsworth.

Mrs. C. E. Hill read a letter of thanks sent from our missionary field in Kentucky.

Then the business session was handed over to the president, Mrs. Carl Hess and the usual business was transacted.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Beckingham and Mrs. Wadsworth.

Daughters of War Veterans Meeting

The regular meeting of the Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War was held Thursday afternoon in G. A. R. Hall.

It was voted to donate to the different homes to help with the Christmas Cheer Fund, and it was also decided to have a round shower for the needy ones and the members were requested to have their donations at the G. A. R. Hall Saturday, December 22nd.

An invitation from the Rockford Tent to visit them at their next meeting, December 27, was read and accepted.

The following officers were elected for the coming year:

President—Mrs. Mina Hettinger.
Senior Vice President—Mrs. Florence Onnen.
Junior Vice President—Mrs. Lucy Eastman.

Chaplain—Miss Bess Decker.
Comrades C. W. Johnson and Henry Bremer were present and gave short talks. December 12th began.

—Ethel—

THEY MAY HAVE BEEN COAT-GETTERS BUT—



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—Ethel—

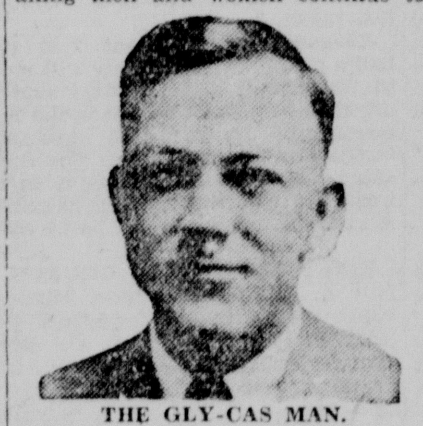


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Beet Sugar Worth Million is Burned

Belmont, Iowa, Dec. 15. (A. P.)—With a loss of nearly \$1,000,000 the warehouse and the season's supply of sugar of the American Beet Sugar Corporation was burned here last night. The main factory was slightly damaged. Insurance will cover a large portion of the loss, company officials said.

The blaze in the one-story warehouse, which was filled to the roof with 167,000 one-hundred pound sacks of sugar, is believed to have started by spontaneous combustion.

Select your Christmas Cards at once. See our beautiful display. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.



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SOUP
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Fillet of Mignon, Mushroom Sauce
Chicken Fricassee, Asparagus Tips
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Roast Leg of Lamb, Mint Sauce
Fried Scallops, Tartar Sauce
Fresh Fried Shrimps, a la Newburg

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Head Lettuce, French Dressing

DESSERT
Hot Mince Pie, Home Made Cake,
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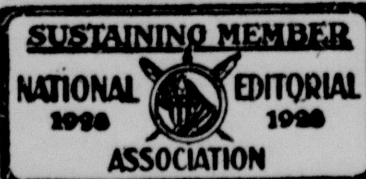
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Build a Municipal Bathing Pool.
Advertise the Beautiful Rock River Valley.
Develop Dixon as an Industrial and Trading Center.
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PROHIBITION CORRUPTION.

If you wonder, now and then, why there is so much corruption in the work of prohibition enforcement, read the stories that are coming out of Detroit, where a sweeping investigation of conditions along the border is in progress.

A policeman, formerly in the federal border patrol service, testifies. He tells how one rum runner offered him \$1000 a week simply to see to it that none of his men went near a certain dock for one hour each night a week. He tells of being offered a \$5000 automobile and \$500 in cash by another man if he would look the other way on one night. He tells of being offered \$50,000 if he would resign. He says he could easily have made \$150,000 in two years if he had cared to.

Such are the temptations that come in the path of men who are paid something like \$2400 a year. The wonder is, not that there is corruption, but that it isn't universal.

THE SHOPPING SCRAMBLE.

Despite the "do your shopping early" signs, it is a safe bet that a great many of us will let at least a part of our Christmas shopping wait until the last minute.

Then we'll go through the usual scramble at the postoffice, and lots of the people to whom we're sending won't get them until several days after Christmas.

In that connection it might be a good thing to remember the airmail service. If you're sending a parcel to a point that is served by an airmail line you would do well to keep that in mind. The service ought to be a boon to late Christmas shoppers.

HOOVER'S WISE REMARK.

It was a wise thing that Herbert Hoover told representatives of the Republic of Salvador on his recent visit to La Union.

"Our international economic relations can have but one real foundation," he said. "They can grow only out of the prosperity of each of us. They cannot flourish in the poverty or degeneration of any of us. Our economic progress is mutual. It is not competitive."

That remark represents American industrialism at its best. And, at its best—that is, under wise leadership—American industrialism can prove a tremendous force for good in this world. It is immensely encouraging to hear Mr. Hoover express himself in this way.

A Pennsylvania seer predicts a mild winter, judging by the condition of the weeds. We differ—it's going to be a terrible winter judging by some of the weeds we've smelled lately.

Among other notes of prosperity the Department of Commerce reports that the supply of nuts is adequate this year.

President Coolidge has asked Congress for 15 new cruisers. You can't tell when we'll have a hurryup call for good-will envoys.

Among the most valuable tips of the day to stock speculators is the advice furnished by Mr. Isaac Newton.

A man saved from a burning building in New York wrote to his rescuer a poem of thanks. Experience is a great teacher.

A plumber was shot on his way to work in Chicago, sustaining the theory that if you stay in one place long enough something will happen to you.

In the Pacific there is a species of shark which eats only the brains of its victims. That's one hazard removed for bathers from Hollywood.

Indignation is the noble emotion that seizes a housewife when she discovers the laundress has stolen some of her best hotel towels.

Lindbergh bagged an antelope from an airplane the other day down in Mexico. What's that—some kind of publicity stunt?

In Chicago continuation schools courses in the use of rouge and make-up have been started. Maybe that rule should be changed to readin', ritin' and rougin'.

THE TINYMITES

STORY BY HAL COCHRAN—PICTURES BY KNUCK



(READ THE STORY, THEN COLOR THE PICTURE)

The soldier doll then walked away, and all the Tinymites heard him say, "I thank you all, and I will make some small boy feel real glad. My suit is new. It's never been worn. Won't I look grand on Christmas morn'g? Who ever Santa takes me to will be a lucky lad."

Then Santa came and yelled, "Hi, there! Now, would you little Tinymites care to go into the music shop? It isn't far from here. We'll find some horns and drums and such. There's more work there, but not so much. If you will try these things all out, some pretty tunes you'll hear."

"Oh, that sounds fine," one Tiny cried. "It's been a long time since I've tried to play on things that make a tune. I wonder if I can." "Ha, ha!" laughed Santa. "We shall see. You Tinymites just follow me." He headed down a Toyland street, and with him they all ran.

All of a sudden Santa stopped and

in the music shop they hopped. "Well here you are," cried Santa. "Now you all can sail right in. I want the horns tried, every one. And then the drums. That will be fun." The Tinymites eyed the music things and all began to grin.

First Clowny took a little horn and blew a note that was forlorn. Then Coppy grabbed a big bass drum and started to beat. "Oh, gee," cried Scouty, "this is great. Come on, we'll form a little band. We'll all play right together. Maybe it will sound real sweet."

But, as they played, poor Santa Claus ran from the room in smiles because the music sounded terrible. It really was a fright. But Santa hid behind a door, and said, "Go on and play some more. Try every instrument there is. I'll hold my ears real tight."

(The Tinymites have some real fun in the next story.)

News of the Churches

Good Thoughts for Good People

If any of you lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him. . . Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights, with whom is no variableness, neither shadow of turning.—James.

What we have in us of the image of God is the love of truth and justice.—Demosthenes.

Every man seeks for truth, but God only knows who has found it. Chesterfield.

Blessed be the God's voice; for it is true, and falsehoods have to cease before it!—Carlyle.

To start with the absolute fact that spiritual good is always discernible, that each one has the God-given ability to see clearly, and thus to distinguish between the true and the false, between right and wrong, between good and evil, is to have united one's self with the means whereby one may bring spiritual good into his experience and to have consequently freed himself from what is evil and unreal. —The Christian Science Journal.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
E. Third St., near Galena Ave.
James Franklin Young, Minister.
Residence 316 E. Third st.

Bible school at 9:45. E. B. Raymond, superintendent. It would be fine if you would be present next Sunday.

Morning worship at 10:45. Theme, "One of the Saints." Young People's (Tuxis) meeting at 7:00. Topic, "The Meaning of Christmas." Matt. 2:1-11, and Luke 2:8-10. Leader, Eleanor Bartholomew.

Mid-week service on Wednesday evening at 7:30. Subject next week, "The Education of the Chosen People."

The doors of the Presbyterian church always swing wide for all who wish to enter.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

313 Van Buren Ave.
Rev. Morton W. Hale
9:45 a. m. Sunday School. L. E. Etnyre, Supt. Lesson topic: "Paul and His Friends." Are we fit to have friends?

The attendance continues to average above that of last year.

11 a. m.—Morning Worship. The pastor will have charge of the service and will deliver the sermon. There will be special music by the choir.

2:30 p. m. A Junior Endeavor society under the charge of Miss Ruth Lindsey will be organized. All boys and girls under the teen age are in-

for a long time pastor of one of our important churches in Chicago, now of Tampico, Dr. Swenson was also for a number of years a national leader in the Swedish Methodist Church in this country. His subject for next Monday evening will be "The History of the Swedish Movement in the United States." Every man of the church is invited.

The various departments of the church are urged to get their announcements for the church column of this paper into the hands of the pastor by Thursday noon of each week.

IMMANUEL LUTHERAN CHURCH
The Little White Church

on the Hill
Cor. Highland and Sixth

A. G. Suechting, Pastor
THIRD SUNDAY IN ADVENT
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Lesson "The Death of John the Baptist." Mark 6:17-29.

Divine worship at 10:30 a. m., conducted in the English language. Sermon theme: Who Art Thou? Jno. 1:19-28. Music by the choir.

Sewing Circle today in the basement of the church. Mrs. A. G. Suechting is hostess.

Tonight—Choir rehearsal and S. S. teachers' meeting.

Saturday—Instruction and rehearsals of Christmas exercises and songs.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST

319 Second Street

Regular services Sunday morning, Dec. 9, at 11 o'clock. Subject "God, the Preserver of Man."

Sunday school at 9:45. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.

The reading room is open each week day from 2 to 4 except holidays. The public is cordially invited to attend.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Walter W. Marshall, Minister
Mrs. L. M. Drach Sunday School Supt.
Mrs. J. C. Koller, Musical Director
Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Adult lesson "Paul and His Friends." Improve your golden hours by being in Sunday School on Sunday next.

Morning Service 10:45 a. m. Theme "The Interrupted Life."

B. Y. P. U. 6:30 p. m. Brief, bright and cheery.

Evening Service 7:30 p. m. when the pastor will continue his sermons on "Signs of the Lord's Return." His subject will be "The League of Nations."

Monday night at 6:30 p. m. the Agoga class will meet at the home of the president, C. J. McLean, 617 N. Ottawa Ave. We begin with a scramble supper. We want every member to turn out.

Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting and Bible study. The subject will be "The Origin of the Race."

Thursday at 7:30 p. m. the choir will meet for practice.

Some people ask the question "Why go to church?" Because you cannot be a Christian without attending church. This is our Lord's command. He that hath ears to hear, let him hear. And it is better to be a door-keeper in the House of the Lord than to dwell in the tents of wickedness. There is a seat in this church for you. Why not worship God with us?

All those having Christmas gifts for the Aiken Institute are requested to take them to the Baptist church on Sunday or to Mrs. Sproul's 208 Everett street.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL

LUTHERAN CHURCH

Rev. Lloyd Warren, Pastor
Rev. C. B. Caughman, Pastor in India
9:30 a. m. Bible School. The old arrangement of the Primary, Junior and Adult Departments will be resumed again at this meeting of the school. You are asked to come directly to the Bible School room and find the place your class originally occupied. Children of Primary Department will meet upstairs; the Juniors will enter by the side door and the adults at the front entrance. We were happy to try a new arrangement and we are happy to get back again.

10:45 a. m. Divine Worship. In the Bible School we study, here we worship. Both are necessary for child and adult. The aim is, all the church in the School and all the School in the Church. Sermon topic "Prepare Ye the Way."

A Men's Chorus will lead the music and sing special numbers.

6:30 p. m. Luther League. Topic: "God's Christmas Gift to the World." Leaders: Elsie Toot and Nelda Bohmstiel. A good meeting and a large attendance is urged. We meet in the larger Bible School room. Come and help arrange for the Nachusa Home Children's Party.

7:30 p. m. Vesper Service. This is always an inspirational, quiet and interesting service. The Young Peoples choir sings. Sermon topic "Art Thou He that Should Come?"

6:30 p. m. Monday under the auspices of the Luther League the children and workers of the Nachusa

Home will be served a supper at the church. If you have not been called or asked to help, volunteer your services. We will need food; we will need waiters, those to cook, some persons to decorate, others with their autos. Bring your gifts and present them at this time. After supper at 7:45 p. m. Monday the children of the Home will give their Christmas program to which everybody is invited. Come and hear again the story of Christmas from the lips of children.

7:30 p. m. Wednesday, midweek services.

2:00 p. m. Saturday, Catechetical class for young people. Every Saturday we have new enrollments.

10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday, Dec. 23 special Christmas music.

7:30 p. m. Monday, Dec. 24 the Christmas cantata of the Primary and Junior departments of the Bible School. This is the school's Christmas celebration. You are cordially invited.

6:00 a. m. Dec. 25 the early Christmas service. This is one of the most beautiful and popular services of the whole year. The Young Peoples choir will have special numbers. All are asked to join in the old and beautiful Christmas hymns. Come meet your friends and meet your gracious, blessed, beautiful Saviour.

You are cordially invited to all our services.

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BY AHERNS



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BETHEL CHURCH

N. Galena Ave. at Morgan St.

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"A comfortable pew and a welcome for you at the church that believes and preaches the Old Book and the Old Faith."

9:45 Sunday School. Classes for all ages.

10:45 is the time of the morning service. The pastor will bring the message.

6:30 p. m. Young peoples meeting. "Is Capital Punishment Biblical?" will be the subject of the Bible exposition at the evening service at 7:30. This will be another message in the series from the Book of Genesis. Familiarize yourself with this great foundational book of the Bible by personal study and the attendance at these services.

Wednesday evening the regular mid week prayer service at 7:30. Do not neglect this important service. Prayer is not supplemental, but it is fundamental in Christian living. The prayer service should be supported by every member of the church.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Minister, Ben H. Cleaver
Bible School Supt., J. P. Cox
Director of Music, Miss Ora Floto
Organist Mrs. Nate Morrill

The four church meetings will be held as usual, Sunday with the morning sermon preached by the Rev. W. S. Shields, brother of Mrs. Anna Nettz of N. Ottawa Ave., who until recently has been in a Minnesota pastorate. Brother Shields is well known throughout his frequent vacation visits to Dixon, and will bring a cordial and vigorous message. He

will speak following the Communion at 10:45.

In the Bible School, 9:30, the next four-minute Christmas talk will be given by Allen Taylor. Envelopes will be distributed in all departments for the annual Christmas Benevolence offering.

Harold Dockery will be the leader of the 6:30 C. E. topic "God's Christmas Gift to the World."

The minister will preach in the 7:30 evening service; sermon subject "Approaching Bethlehem."

GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH

North Side

Rev. Frank Brandfleiner, Pastor

Christ died for your sins.

9:30 Morning Prayer Circle.

9:45 Sunday School. Lee Lincoln, Supt. We have classes for all ages.

10:45 Morning Worship. Sermon by the pastor. Subject "Abiding in Christ."

3:00 Mission Band thank offering service under the direction of Miss Rilla Webster. Everybody welcome.

6:30 C. E. service.

7:30 Evangelistic service. Sermon by the pastor. Subject "The Parable of the Wheat and Tares."

7:30 Wednesday Prayer, praise and Bible study hour. For every member of the family.

Christ arose for our justification. A welcome and a message for all.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH

Third Street & Peoria Ave.

Rev. Richard S. Talbot, Jr. Rector

Third Sunday in Advent.

7:30 a. m.—Holy Communion.

9:30 a. m.—Church School.

10:45 a. m.—Sunday Litany, Choral Eucharist and sermon.

Wednesday, Dec. 13—Ember Day

7:30 a. m. Holy Communion.

All are cordially invited to attend the church's services.

SHORT MEASURE

JOAN: Do you think half a dollar is too much to charge for a kiss at our bazaar?

John: No, I don't think so. People expect to be cheated there—Answers.

SAVING THE LOOT

SHE (sleepily): Is that you, Fido?

BURGLAR (to his partner): Lick 'er hand, Bill—Judge.

THAT'S WRONG

"Well, my son, what did you learn in school today?"

"Aw, they taught us the difference between a camel and a dromedary."

"What? Are they giving you kids those blindfold tests?"

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CANZONERI AND SINGER FOUGHT TO CLOSE DRAW

Big Crowd of Fans at Madison Square Saw Battle

New York, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Tex Rickard, it would seem, has begun to realize that metropolitan fans have no quarrel with him over his Madison Square Garden shows but with the prices he has charged there in the past.

A few months ago, Tex staged a popular-priced show and drew close to 20,000 of the faithful where less than half that number had been turning out for the more expensive programs.

A sizzling ten-round draw between Tony Canzoneri, former feather-weight champion, and Al Singer, Bronx idol, was witnessed last night by 20,804 fans. The top price was \$5.49 in contrast with four times that amount at high priced shows.

Although Singer was given no worse than an even break in the official verdict, ringside experts were inclined to believe Canzoneri was entitled to the decision. Canzoneri's effective work at close quarters gained the approving eye of boxing experts. Singer, however, put up a beautiful boxing exhibition.

Lew Kersh, another local favorite, came a cropper when he was out-pointed in ten rounds by Tommy Grogan, the Omaha slugger. Grogan's harder punching gained him the verdict.

Bruce Flowers, Negro lightweight star of New Rochelle, N. Y., defeated Jimmy Goodrich of Buffalo, N. Y., in the first ten rounds.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By the Associated Press.)

St. Paul.—Billy Light, St. Paul, outpointed Bobby Tracey, Buffalo, (10); My Sullivan, St. Paul, knocked out Archie Amos, Marshalltown, Ia. (1).

Boston.—Jim Maloney, Boston, stopped Andy Mitchell, Long Beach, (6); Joe Stockman knocked out Jack O'Dowd, Ireland, (1).

Detroit.—Frankie Genaro won on a foul from Steve Rocco, Canada, (2).

Baltimore.—Kid Williams, stopped Willie Harrish, Baltimore.

Toledo.—Eddie O'Dowd, Columbus, outpointed Billy Evans, Toledo, (10); Luis Carpentiero, Toledo, and Jimmy Russo, Detroit, drew (6).

New York.—Al Singer, New York, and Tony Canzoneri, drew (10); Tommy Grogan, Omaha, outpointed Lew Kersh, New York, (10); Bruce Flowers, New Rochelle, outpointed Jimmy Goodrich, Buffalo, (10).

Des Moines, Ia.—Harry Cook, Perry, Ia., outpointed Henry Falegano, Des Moines (10).

Eastern Cage Teams Again Beaten in West

Chicago, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Pittsburgh and Pennsylvania, basketball titleholders in the east last year, will seek the first victories of their western invasion tonight, playing Wisconsin and Michigan, respectfully.

In the past two nights both eastern teams fell before midwestern opponents. Pittsburgh, beaten by Butler Thursday, was repulsed by Northwestern last night, 30 to 24.

Pennsylvania, after its defeat by Indiana, again was defeated by a Big Ten team last night when Ohio State took a 29 to 23 decision.

Minnesota's game with Drake at Des Moines and Illinois' clash with Lombard at Urbana were the only other Big Ten games on tonight's card. Chicago's scheduled game with North Dakota was cancelled owing to the closing of the University of Chicago to avert a spread of influenza.

Genaro Won Fight When Rocco Fouled

Detroit, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Frankie Genaro still is the National Boxing Commission flyweight champion, as the result of a foul by Steve Rocco, Canadian champion, in the second round of their scheduled 10-round championship match here last night.

Rocco's chance at Genaro's crown was wrecked when he dropped Genaro with a left hook that landed low. Genaro was thumping at Rocco's body when he suddenly cried out and dropped to the canvas. He was lifted to his corner, where a physician examined him and said he had been struck low. Referee Elmer McClelland declared Genaro a winner on an unintentional foul.

Genaro was on the aggressive at the start of the bout and caused considerable excitement when he dove head first through the ropes after missing a hard right swing in the first round. Neither fighter had gained an advantage when the incident brought the bout to an abrupt close.

About 12,000 persons witnessed the abbreviated affair.

All-Star Eastern Team is Assembled

Chicago, Dec. 15.—(A.P.)—Members of the all-star eastern team, which will clash with the west in the annual charity football game at San Francisco, assembled at Northwestern University today.

The 20 players will leave tonight

Next King of White House Kennels



March 4 will be a big day in the life of Craigwood Padrie, for then, when Herbert Hoover enters the White House, this giant Irish wolfhound will become the "first canine of the land." The dog, who comes from Urbana, Va., is pictured here with his present mistress, Mrs. Norwood B. Smith, who has given the dog to the Hoovers. She was a schoolmate of Mrs. Hoover in California.

Activities at Pastime Alleys

GAMES FOR COMING WEEK.

A. League.

Monday, Dec. 17.—Amboy vs. Dixon Implements; Boynton-Richards vs. Quality Cleaners.

Tuesday, Dec. 18.—Sterling vs. Reynolds Wire; Golf Shop vs. Chicago Motors.

B. League.

Wednesday, Dec. 19.—Ashton vs. Underworlds; Oldsmobile vs. Palmyra.

Thursday, Dec. 20.—Bales & Arnoulds vs. Walnut Grove Products.

for San Francisco. The game is to be played December 29.

Most of the time on route west will be spent studying formations.

Poets' Corner

THE MERRY WORKER.

You wonder why I hum and sing
In such a jocund measure,
Or that amidst my work and care,
I snatch a glint of pleasure?

The law of labor, though severe,
Will not prevent the spirit
From flitting up with toll-clipped wings,
And make of work a merit.

Let growers growl their throats a-dry
'Gainst trials hard and often;
For me, I'll trill a peaceful air,
My heart to soothe and soften.

And, when the day brings snubs and sneers,
And snarling, and the rest of it,
I'll sing that song which charms my heart
And try to make the best of it.

—Bela R. Halderman,
Franklin Grove, Ill.

FRANKLIN GROVE NEWS NOTES

Miss Bertha Zoeller is clerking in the Spurgeon store in Dixon until after the holidays.

Arthur Watson is confined to his home with sickness and Allen Norris is substituting for him on the mail route.

Misses Winifred Hausen and Ruth Phillips went to Chicago Saturday returning Sunday.

Miss Helen Ling who teaches school in Rockford was a week-end guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ling.

Mr. and Mrs. LaForrest Meredith spent Sunday in Savanna at the home of her sister, Mrs. Frank Lease.

Messrs. George and Stewart Jacobs came out from Chicago yesterday for a visit with their brothers, Wesley and Robert Jacobs.

Mrs. Clyde Speck went to Rockford yesterday for a few days visit at the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bratton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Timm of Chicago; Mrs. Cloyd Hall and daughter Marjorie of Rogers Park were Sunday and Saturday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers, north of town.

Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes and son Luther were Rockford visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Spratt received word recently that their granddaughter, Miss Ada Spratt had been operated upon for appendicitis and was doing very nicely. Miss Ada is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Spratt of Baraboo, Wisconsin, who were former residents of this place. Her many relatives and friends here will wish with her for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall, Mrs. Sadie Blaine and George Mong were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mong near Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bratton of

West Chicago were Saturday and Sunday visitors at the home of her sister, Mrs. John Baker.

Splendid Meeting

The Aid Society of the Church of the Brethren held their Mite Box offering service Thursday afternoon. The following program was given, which was greatly enjoyed by all:

Opening song.
Devotional service, led by Mrs. Neher.

Music—Quartet.
Poem, "The Sister's Aid"—Nellie Fiedel.

Reading, "Forgotten Women"—Sarah Hood.

Poem, "My Silver Thimble"—Ellen Riddlebarger.

Talk, "The Joy of Living"—Bernice Group.

Music—Fuet.
Poem, "An Ode to the Aid"—Emma Baker.

Report of Aid Work — Leta Blocher.

This was followed by the opening of the Mite Boxes, the contents of which amounted to \$93.41.

The following program will be given at the Church of the Brethren Sunday morning, Dec. 23, at 10:30:

Song—Congregation.

Invocation—O. D. Buck.

Welcome—Adaline Smith.

Exercise, "We Like Christmas"—Beginners.

Song—Jeanne Blank.

Exercise, "Little Christmas Candles"—Primitives.

Recitation, "Christmas in the Heart"—Alta Schriver.

Exercise, "Pilgrims"—Stars.

Recitation, "My Gift"—Lorene Lehman.

Song, "Christmas Story"—Quartet.

Exercise, "Gifts for the Christ-child"—Willing Workers.

Recitation and Song — Florence Butler and Adaline Smith.

Exercise, "What Shall We Bring?"—Juniors.

Recitation, "Silver Music"—Rodney Lehman.

Offering.

Song, "All Hail Immanuel."

Sermon—O. D. Buck.

In the evening beginning at 7:00, the service "The Light of a Christmas Candle" will be given in story and song.

STEWART NEWS

Steward—Mrs. Lester Lathrop has been quite sick the past week.

Miss Gertrude Fell attended a high school party at DeKalb last Saturday evening.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary Society met Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. George Burkhardt.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Fell and daughter, Maurine, Mr. and Mrs. John Thorp and daughter, Virginia, motored to Chicago Thursday.

The Ladies Aid Society met on Thursday afternoon at the church. A large number were present although a very rainy afternoon. A fine lunch was served by the committee.

The Standard Bearers Society will meet Friday evening at the home of Miss Arlene Thorpe.

The Elmer Oakland family visited



ABE MARTIN

"Eatin' a big Stark's Delicious apple 'll appease th' cravin' fer gin," writes Miss Fawn Lippincut, editor o' th' woman's page o' th' Weekly Slip Horn. Now, then, right off th' bat, who wuz Hoover's runnin' mate?

in Rockford Sunday with relatives Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Heath and children and Mr. and Mrs. John Thorp and family were dinner guests at the P. A. Beisel home on Sunday.

Rev. McKelvey was in DeKalb on Tuesday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Beitel and sons were here from Lee Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cook, Mr.

and Mrs. Joe Beardsley and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Levey attended the church supper at Lee Friday evening.

Rev. Kash and wife and daughter of Scarboro were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Thompson are driving a new Dodge car.

A large crowd greeted the octette from Chicago who had charge of the Sunday evening service. They also

sang at the morning services at 11 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fell were entertained Saturday evening in DeKalb by friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Yardley moved into the Mrs. Ed Johnson property last week.

Rev. R. J. L. McKelvey and wife were in Lake Villa on Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Hess, Mrs. Guy Levey and Mrs. Orville Byrd were shopping in Rochelle Wednesday.

Mrs. John Taylor has been quite sick this week.

Margaret Jane Hewitt has been absent from school for a few days this week.

Miss Bertha Steward was in Chicago Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Nellie Bowles has returned to McLean after a several weeks visit here with relatives and at Creston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McNally entertained on Sunday the following guests from Elmhurst: Mr. and Mrs. Dan Rittnauer and mother, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Orr of Geneva.

Miss Francis Stroud has returned here and resumed her duties as teacher in the primary room.

T. F. Kirby spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Peoria.

A number of improvements have been made on the parsonage recently.

AND THEY DID

JUDGE: Why did you steal the watch?

FITTER: I was going along, I saw that the watch was going and I thought: "Why can't we go together?"—Rutgers Chanticleer.

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HARDWARE ANNOUNCEMENT!

On Monday noon, Dec. 10th we concluded the deal whereby we will be State Distributors of the Exello Oil Vapor Burners.

In order to take up this work at the earliest moment, we will start our reduction sale on Saturday Evening, Dec. 15th, just as soon as the Evening Telegraph appears on the streets.

On All Goods a Discount of 10% Will Be Given

As we wish to clean up and settle up all business in connection with our Hardware Store, all sales will be for cash only.

This will be your opportunity to profit by this reduction and the first come the first served.

For the past twenty years, we have been in the Hardware Business in Dixon. During that time we have endeavored to give to Dixon and the surrounding country, the best Hardware Store in northern Illinois. How well we have succeeded, our many customers know.

It is with a sigh of relief that we announce our intention, yet with a note of sadness in parting with the many customers that we have had the pleasure of serving, during these years.

Thus severing our connection with the Hardware Trade, after carrying on this our twenty-fifth year.

We want to thank the hundreds of customers for their patronage and good will during these years and hope they will be better served in the future than we have been able to serve them in the past.

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THIS HAS HAPPENED ASHTORETH ASHE, and SADIE MORTON are exchanging confidences in Sadie's expensive apartment.

The apartment was rented and furnished through the amazing generosity of HOLLIS ART, millionaire bachelor, who felt sorry for Sadie, whose misfortune was really overwhelming.

Sadie, however, proven an ungrateful little wretch, and threatened when he tried of playing with her—to sue him for breach of promise.

Meantime Hart has become interested in his new stenographer, Ashtoreth, a beautiful and cultured girl.

He is astounded when he discovers that Ashtoreth and Sadie are friends. And Ashtoreth is afraid she has forfeited his attentions.

She goes with Sadie to her apartment, in order to learn what details she can of the astonishing affair with Mr. Hart.

Sadie is also curious. She asks Ashtoreth if Mr. Hart has accused her of blackmailing him.

Her frankness does not disconcert Ashtoreth.

"Well, aren't you?" she demands.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER VI

SUDDENLY Sadie began to cry. "You think I'm h-h-horrid," she sobbed.

"Why, no, I don't," insisted Ashtoreth without a great deal of conviction. "I've only heard one side of the story."

"You're trying to make a h-h-hit with him yourself," accused Sadie.



Ashtoreth may have been a snob. She considered Sadie both cheap and common. "Don't be vulgar, Sadie," she cautioned. "And don't you high hat me!" countered Sadie.

Ashtoreth had not thought of it before. At least, not in such crude terms. Now—to herself—she admitted, "I suppose I am."

Aloud she said, "Don't be silly, Sadie. Take another drink if it will make you stop crying. And for heaven's sake, be rational."

She drained the shaker and handed the weeping girl a goblet.

"You're not having any yourself," warned Sadie. "You—you just think you're too good."

"It's not that," explained Ashtoreth. "I hate the stuff."

"I never had any myself till lately," defended Sadie. "It's got an awful kick—this bootleg gin. When it don't make me laugh it makes me cry."

"I'd leave it alone then," advised Ashtoreth.

"Yes, you would! Well, maybe you wouldn't if you had all my troubles. I'm down to my last \$50—that's what I am."

Ashtoreth laughed.

"You can't expect me to weep over that. I'm down to my last 50 cents. It's nothing unusual, either."

"But what am I going to do?" moaned Sadie.

"Get yourself a job."

"How could I earn enough to keep this shack?"

"Probably you couldn't," agreed Ashtoreth. "Why keep it?"

Sadie tucked a pillow behind her back.

"You wouldn't understand," she observed, "because you never had a layout like this, Ash. But, now I ask you, suppose you got together a swell little cabin like this—would you walk out on it? Heaven may protect the working girl, like they say. But I never saw heaven pay no rent, nor buy the groceries. And, once you get used to refinement, Ash, it's awful hard to give it up."

"Did Mr. Hart really give you \$10,000, Sadie?"

"Yes, he did."

THE girl stared defiantly. "No strings, either. Cuckoo, that's all. Why shouldn't he, though? He's got so much money."

"Tell me about it!" implored Ashtoreth.

But Sadie grew suddenly reticent.

"How do I know what you got

felt he was getting cheated. And he hadn't guts enough to say so. So he just sort of eased out of the picture."

Ashtoreth was unconvinced.

"What makes you think so?" she asked.

"They're all alike," countered Sadie wisely. "They got just one idea in their heads—men. See how Holly walked out on me. That's what I get for being pure."

"Oh, Sadie, you're wrong, dear. I know you are. Mr. Hart isn't that kind."

"They're all alike. I tell you," Sadie wagged her golden head.

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"BUT I happen to know," insisted Ashtoreth. "That Mr. Hart's interest wasn't at all—like that, Sadie."

"Yeah. He'd be liable to tell you."

Sadie scoffed and flaunted her short skirts derisively. "I tell you, Ash—you're an awful dumb egg."

She smoked silently for a minute.

"A girl can fool all of the men some of the time, but she can't fool herself all of the time," she announced somberly. "And I guess I got my eyes open this time."

"Holly was always telling me I ought to put away something for a rainy day, and I took it literal. Next time I'll know better. And, believe me, Ash, I'll have something to put away—something nice and compromising. Letters, Ash!"

Sadie pounded her round, silk knee emphatically.

"Letters!" echoed Ashtoreth.

"Sure, letters. You can raise hell with a few letters," amplified Sadie. "Sell 'em. Bring 'em to court. Give 'em to the papers. But I haven't so much as a scrap of paper. Oh, I've been to see a lawyer. I wrote Holly something about breach of promise. But that was only to scare him."

"I got a new boy now—the lawyer I went to see. He says maybe we can frighten Holly—but probably he's too cagey. I don't know."

"Probably," Ashtoreth assented uncomfortably.

"But Mr. Hart's been so wonderful to you!" she exclaimed. "Why do you want to make trouble? I should think you'd be glad to keep what you have, and thank your lucky stars."

"And me without a job?" moaned Sadie.

"Good Lord, you're not crippled, or blind, or anything. Go get one," suggested Ashtoreth curtly.

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"SAY, Ash!"

Sadie clasped her hands in childish glee.

"I got an idea. Let's live together—your mother and me. Here's a swell place, all furnished. Gee, your mother'd love it, wouldn't she? We could take care of the rent somehow. I'll get a job, Ash—honest I will!"

Sadie was coaxing prettily, and her empty little face was radiant with excitement.

"I bet your mother'd like to get a job, too. Just so a she could live in a swell place like this and help out on the rent. We could get another girl, too, maybe, to make things easier. You and your mother could have the bedroom, Ash. And me and the other girl could sleep in the living room. There'd be plenty of room. Will you, Ash? Please, Ash!"

(To Be Continued)

And what does Ashtoreth think of hardboiled Sadie's suggestion? Ashtoreth hated "gold-diggers," but—

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THIS HAS HAPPENED SADIE MORTON, cheap and

tempted, has asked ASHTORETH ASHE to share her apartment. It is a grand and glorious apartment, furnished to Sadie's tastes, at the expense of HOLLIS ART.

Hart, enormously wealthy and attractive, is Ashtoreth's employer. And Ashtoreth is a beautiful girl, with artistic aspirations and high ideals. A little snob, perhaps.

She seems to have made a decided impression upon Mr. Hart, when suddenly he discovers that she and Sadie Morton are old friends. With that knowledge, Ashtoreth is afraid she has forfeited his interest.

In order to satisfy her curiosity concerning his exact attitude with Sadie, she accompanies the girl to her apartment and hears the complete story of an amazing plot.

Hart had given Sadie \$10,000 because he felt sorry for her, and he so much money that it really didn't make any difference to him. When he tried of visiting her, Sadie, partly attracted by her new money, and partly threatened to sue him for breach of promise, but she has no even an unreasonable lawyer can help her and now, Hart never so much as kissed her good night, as she sat there alone.

Finally, Sadie thinks she sees a way to keep the apartment which she is afraid she will lose. For she has spent her entire \$10,000. And as she knows Ashtoreth is coming and where she rent, "Your mother'd love it, Ash," she pleads.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY CHAPTER VII

"Oh, Sadie, we couldn't afford it," protested Ashtoreth.

But Sadie was not so easily discouraged.

"It wouldn't cost much if we split it three ways," she pointed out. "You and your mother and me, and then some other girl. Gee, Ash, I hate to give up a place like this. Be a good sport. We could have some swell times together. And think of your mother, Ash! Wouldn't she just love it, though?"

Indeed, the sort of place poor Maizie would love. Family ties, reflected Ashtoreth, were such a joke. She disliked instinctively everything that her mother admired. She shuddered now, to think of Maizie gloating over Sadie's deep plush chairs and monstrosities of lamps. Exclaiming upon her ugly rugs. And all her tawdry objects d'art.

What would Hollis Art think if he could know that Mrs. Ashe had tasted like Sadie's?

"You just don't want to get mixed up with me," hazarded Sadie shrewdly. "You're trying to make a hit with the boss, and you're going to watch your step."

"Oh, my dear, I wish you wouldn't talk that way!"

"Well, I'm not going to bother Holly any more," she volunteered. "So don't let that trouble you. I told you I got a new boy. He calls me Siren, because he says I'm a scream. Gee, he's a wise cracker! You ought to know him. He's just like a guy in College Humor. Wears the latest styles. Honest, Ash—he's a riot. Know what he says I am? A U. S. A. girl—Universal Sex Appeal!"

Sadie preened for a glance in her Venetian mirror.

"Yes, ma'am," she said. "That boy thinks I'm the original red hot mamma!"

"Then you're really through with Mr. Hart?" asked Ashtoreth eagerly. "I mean you're not going to try to get any more money from him?"

"Oh, I don't know."

Ashtoreth laughed.

"Oh, Sadie, you're impossible!" she declared. "I always thought you were a modern, independent working girl. And what a gold digger you turned out to be!"

"I'm modern," countered Sadie



Ashtoreth bought the newest movie magazine for Maizie and a box of face powder and a book.

"And I'm independent as hell. Who wants to work?"

"Well, I do," announced Ashtoreth, and began to gather her things together. Black antelope gloves and a bag to match, and her little lace handkerchief.

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ASHTORETH adjusted her hat in front of the mirror. Tucked up a loose end of hair. And flicked the toes of her dull kid pumps with the back of her glove. She looked like a society girl on her way to Sewing Circle, if society girls on their way to Sewing Circle look as society editors would have the public believe. Smart. Impeccable. And stunning, like an American girl on a Paris boulevard.

"I'll drop in and see your mother some time," offered Sadie.

"That would be lovely," murmured Ashtoreth politely.

"Yeah? Well, suppose you leave your address then?"

"Here—write it down on the back of the phone book. I got some million dollar stationery, but I ain't wasting it any more."

Ashtoreth scribbled obediently.

"I'll bring mother over some evening," she volunteered cordially. Sadie was frankly skeptical.

"You ain't kidding me a bit, Ash. Well, run along. Back to the grind. Me—I got a nice new magazine and a box of chocolates."

She walked with Ashtoreth to the door.

"No hard feelings, dearie."

She laid her hand on the other's arm.

"You look a million dollars, honey—and that ain't maybe."

Narrowing her big blue eyes, she contemplated Ashtoreth humorously.

"And I bet," she added, "you're just as hard to make. Oh, well. God played favorites with us wimmin. That's all I got to say."

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ASHTORETH waited on the corner for a street car. One thought was paramount in her mind. To keep Sadie from telling Mr. Hart any further details of her childhood.

"Not that I'm ashamed," she told herself. "But being poor is like having funny relations. You just sort of keep quiet about some things. Everybody does."

She wondered how she should explain to Mr. Hart the details of her protracted visit with the Mortons. How tell him of her father's death? Or the miserable months when she and Maizie subsisted on the charity of neighbors? When Maizie went out working by the hour, "Ac commodatins," she called it. But for all her gay pretenses, Ashtoreth knew that she had scrubbed floors and washed a thousand gross dishes.

There were many things that Hollis Hart must never know. Not that there was anything shameful about having been an errand girl

in the five-and-ten. Of course there wasn't! But neither was it anything a girl who looked like an heiress boasted about particularly.

"If he thinks I've antecedents, and education and culture like the girls in his crowd, what a fool I'd be," vowed Ashtoreth. "To disillusion him!"

She left the car at Park street and walked briskly down to State. Mr. Hart had left the office when she reached there, and she spent the afternoon copying a tiresome report assigned by Mrs. Mason.

Suddenly she became panic-stricken.

"Maybe he has another stenographer! Maybe he'll never talk to me again!"

At five o'clock, when she closed her desk, she was shivering inwardly. Half expecting Mrs. Mason to inform her, on the way out, that her services would be no longer required. To be given two weeks pay, in lieu of notice.

But Mrs. Mason smiled when she said good night.

"Mr. Hart wished me to thank you for him," she said.

"Thank me? What for?"

Mrs. Mason's lips twitched in a polite and efficient smile.

"I don't know," she admitted. "But Mr. Hart spoke as if you would understand."

Ashtoreth powdered her nose and pulled her hat over her eyebrows, while her heart pounded madly in a transport of joy. She had not, then, forfeited his interest. Tomorrow, perhaps, he would ask her of Sadie's plans. And she would be able to tell him that she had advised Sadie to make no trouble.

"I may be only a stenographer," she rejoiced, "but I can do a millionaire a favor!"

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WARMLY grateful to life and its largesse, she stopped at a confectioner's on the way home and ordered for Maizie a pound of assorted bonbons and caramels with nuts. She bought the newest movie magazine. And a box of face powder, highly scented, and pink as tender watermelon. Then she stopped at the circulating library and procured a copy of Edgar Wallace's latest. It was Maizie's little joke that Mr. Wallace keeps more women awake nights than any man living.

Maizie had coast best bash for dinner, and a cottage pudding for desert.

"Let me drop an egg for you, honey," she wheedled. "Nice country eggs. A dollar and ten cents a dozen."

She deposited a quaking mound of yellow, surrounded by an aura of quivering white.

"There! Don't that look nice? And here's real cream for your coffee. No top of the bottle to night, dear."

Ashtoreth frowned.

"What's the celebration, Mother?"

Maizie wiped her hands on her apron.

"Monty English is coming over," she said. "I saw him on Tremont street this afternoon. I got in just a few little things. I thought maybe you'd like to give him a little snack, honey."

She smiled ingratiatingly. Ashtoreth threw up her hands.

"You're just naturally bound to marry off Mrs. Ashe's daughter, aren't you, Ma?" she teased.

Beneath her banter there was a shade of annoyance.

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Monty makes love after the most approved manner. Spends a few hours with him and Ashtoreth—in the next installment.

Millionaire Sought

in Rum Running Ring

Los Angeles, Dec. 15—(AP)—A Pasadena millionaire, an attorney and two movie actresses, whose names were not revealed, were sought by federal authorities today as principals in an alleged rum ring catering to wealthy persons in Pasadena, San Marino and Hollywood.

The hunt resulted from the discovery of 30 cases of expensive liquor yesterday in a fashionable San Marino estate.

When dry agents, under Federal Prohibition Administrator Frank R. McReynolds, swept down upon the place they arrested the caretaker

who gave his name as Bert Smith, but later changed it to Jack Desmond. He said he did not know the name of his employer.

The liquor, which was found in the cellar of the house, which had been watched for several months, was said to have been imported, some of it over the Mexican border and some landed from ships off the Southern California coast.

WHY NOT? SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND: Who called this afternoon?

HIS BETTER HALF: Only Aunt Sophie.

SUSPICIOUS HUSBAND: Well, she left her pipe—Everybody's Weekly.

A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

For the leaders of this people cause them to err; and they that are led of them are destroyed.—Isaiah 9:16.

It is better for a city to be govern-

ed by a good man than by good laws.—Aristotle.

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Hamilton, Bermuda—(AP)—Shark meat has grown in favor among the native population until it is now their favorite delicacy.

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In the recent hurricane in Florida most of the brick houses were wrecked while the frame houses remained intact. This is just more proof that houses constructed of "lumber," when properly built, are still the most satisfactory type of residence in any country or in any time.

Ever hear of the guy who doctored himself by the aid of medical books for years and then died of a typographical error?

Arthur Brisbane says there are ten thousand good investments in this country but no investment is as good as money invested in a "Home of Your Own."

Our beautiful 1929 Calendars are now on the way. Drop in today and register your name for one.

Information Department

Dear Mr. Editor: You're supposed to know something about art. Have you ever had any experience with etchings?—Miss M.

Dear Miss M.: Not since we had the ex-zema.

Suppose you're heard of the Scotchman who, when his wife asked for a new spring outfit, bought her a pair of rubber heels.

Our friend Uncle Ned says he wishes somebody would make him a present of a nice MULE-R-O-O-P this Christmas.

Everybody loves a bargain, we admit, but you will usually find the biggest crowds in the stores that adhere to a "one fair price policy." That's the

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CONGRESS MAKING SOME PROGRESS IN ITS BIG PROGRAM

Senate Passed the Boulder Dam Bill Yesterday: War Pact Is Up

Washington, Dec. 15—(AP)—If it were not for farm relief, tariff revision, the Kellogg-Briand treaty and a few other matters, Congress might be at work today in the belief that its legislative broom would make a clean sweep at this session.

Both houses have made legislative progress lately. The Senate passed Boulder Dam yesterday and today was occupied with a bill to regulate the sale of goods manufactured by prison labor. The House with the second of the appropriation measures, the \$285,000,000 Interior Department appropriation bill, disposed of—had taken up the annual appropriation measure for the Department of Agriculture.

Off the floor, on the Senate side only the rules committee had work to do today, but the House had more activity in prospect. Its agriculture committee was still wrestling with the Packers and Stockyards act and three other committees, Indian Affairs, Rules and Appropriations, had meetings before them.

There was committee activity yesterday but events that drew the most attention were on the floor of the Senate. The passage of Boulder dam caused general congratulation, and a resolution introduced by Senator Moses of New Hampshire, general speculation.

Declaration of Right
This resolution was a four-point declaration of American rights and its author planned for it to be approved along with, or immediately following, ratification of the Kellogg-Briand treaty for the renunciation of war. It may mean bringing into the open the fight on the anti-war pact.

A development before the Senate public lands committee was the announcement by William J. Donovan, an assistant to the Attorney General, that he planned to institute fraud proceedings against some of the Sinclair companies as a result of the leasing of royalty oil in the Salt Creek field.

This hearing, beginning on the confirmation of Roy O. West, Secretary of the Interior, broadened its scope until it took on the appearance of an oil investigation.

Views on Labor
Views on labor were heard from three sources yesterday. William Green, President of the American Federation of Labor, told a group of Senators that more attention should be paid to the question of consumption. Secretary of Labor Davis said that in his opinion consolidation might solve problems in the bituminous coal field. John L. Lewis, President of the United Mine Workers, disagreed with Secretary Davis by declaring that he thought government regulation was needed to stabilize the coal industry. Secretary Davis and Lewis appeared before the Senate interstate commerce committee.

On the hitherto clear blue sky of the Kellogg-Briand treaty there has appeared something that looks like a reservation cloud.

It was introduced in the Senate yesterday as a resolution by Senator George H. Moses of New Hampshire, and this is what he said:

"Resolved, that the Senate of the United States declares that in advising and consenting to the multilateral treaty it does so with the understanding:

Four Conditions
"1. That the treaty imposes no obligation on the United States to resort to coercive or punitive measures against any offending nation;

"2. That the treaty does not impose any limitation upon the Monroe Doctrine or the traditional policies of the United States;

"3. That the treaty does not impair the right of the United States to defend its territory, possessions, trade or interests;

"4. That the treaty does not obligate the United States to the conditions of any treaty to which the United States is not a party."

The resolution's appearance brought expressions of divergent opinion on the treaty for the renunciation of war, its significance and the importance to be attached to letters by other world powers that accompanied their adherence to the pact.

Senator Reed, Democrat, Missouri, who made a name for himself by his fight on the League of Nations, has declared that he favored a "proper resolution."

Moses said that his resolution would not be a part of the treaty but merely a declaration of American rights.

Borah Opposes It
Chairman Borah of the Senate foreign relations committee, and one of those who favors passage of the Kellogg-Briand treaty without

any strings attached, asserted he opposed the Moses resolution and he challenged the contention that the letters of Great Britain and France might change or modify the treaty.

These letters are expected to furnish Moses, Reed and other pact opponents campaign material. They have pointed to the letter of Great Britain which said that country accepted the treaty on "the distinct understanding that it does not prejudice their freedom of action" with respect to defense of the territories.

RADIO RIALTO

SATURDAY FEATURES (Central Standard Time)

2:30—Demonstration Hour — WJZ KDKA WLW WJR KYW KWK KOA WOAI WHAS WSM WMC WSB KPRC WFAA KVOO WOW WTMJ WRC.

8:00—Light Opera Hour: "Sweetheart"—WJZ KDKA WJR WLW KYW KDK WREN KOA WSB WMC WHAS WOAI KPRC WBPB KVOO WOW WTMJ WRC.

9:00—Tunes of Broadway: Dance Music—WEAF WRC WGY WTAM WWJ WGN KSD WOW WDAF KVOO WFAA KPRC OAI KOA WTMJ WHAS WMC WSB WJAX KSL KHQ KPO KFI KOMO.

10:00—Ponce Sisters—WEAF WTAM WWJ KSD.

SUNDAY FEATURES

3:00—Dr. S. Parkes Camdan "Reality of Ideals"—WEAF WHAS WGY WFAA WOW KVOO WSM WSB KOA.

6:30—Theater Family: Maj. Edward Bowes—WEAF WRC WGY WWJ WOW KSD WHAS WSM WSB WTMJ.

7:15—Magazine Hour: Grantland Rice—WJZ KDKA WJR WLW KYW WDAF KOA.

8:00—Two Black Crows Moran and Mack, with Orchestra—WABC WADC WKRC WGHM WBBM WOWO KMOX KMBC KOIL WSPD WHK KEX KJLA KYA KTAB KMTR KJR KGA WCOO.

8:15—A. K. Hour: National Audition Finals — WEAF WRC WGY WWJ WGN WTAM WOW WDAF KVOO WFAA WSM WMC WSB KOA KPRC OAI KSD KFI KGO KO MO KHQ KPO.

9:30—Good Dictation on the Radio: Announcement of Award by American Academy of Arts and Letters—WABC WADC WKRC WGHM WO-WO KMOX WMBM KOIL WSPD WHK WMAQ WJZ WEAF KVOO WGY WSB WHAS KOA WTAM WLW CX and others.

MONDAY EVENING (Central Standard Time)

6:30—Roxxy and His Gang: Harold Van Duzee, Tenor—WJZ WJR WREN KWK WSB WMC WBC KOA.

8:30—Family Party: Dayton Westminster Choir—WEAF WTAM WWJ WGN WTMJ KSD KVOO WOW WD AF WFAA KPRC WOAI WHAS

WMC WSB WJAX WRC WGY KGO KFI KOMO KHQ KOA KSL.

9:00—The Adventurers: Picturesque Characters—WOR WADC WAIU WKRC WGHM WMAQ KMOX KMBC KOIL WSPD WHK.

9:30—Thirty Minute Men: Program of Pep—WOR WADC WAIU WKRC WGHM WMAQ KMOX KMBC KOIL WSPD WHK WOWO.

10:30—National Grand Opera: "Lulu di Lammermoor"—WAF WRC WWJ WFAA WHAS KSD.

OBITUARY

MRS. MARY FLEMING.

(Contributed.)

Mrs. Mary Fleming was born in Dixon, Lee county, Illinois, February 24, 1851, and came to the end of life's pilgrimage, December 13, 1923, at the age of 72 years, nine months and 15 days. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Ford and leaves to mourn her passing, three daughters, Mrs. William Hogan of this city, Agnes and Ella at home. One grand daughter, Mrs. Carol Moran and a great grand daughter, Deloris Moran of Dixon, two sisters and several nieces and nephews also survive. Her husband, Thomas Fleming, and two sons, Thomas, Jr., and William, and a daughter, Marguerite, preceded her in death.

Mrs. Fleming was loved by all who knew her, and had been a resident

of Dixon all her life. She was a kind and loving friend and neighbor, who will be greatly missed by all who knew her, especially the little folks, she having been very fond of children. Funeral services will be conducted Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at the home and at 9:30 from St. Patrick's Catholic church, Rev. Father Michael Foley officiating and with interment in Oakwood.

Saratoga is Fastest Ship: Breaks Record

San Pedro, Calif., Dec. 15—(AP)—The United States Navy's huge airplane carrier Saratoga was hailed today as the speed queen of the seas and the most powerful ship afloat, following her performance in breaking the world's record for power recently set by her sister ship, the Lexington, and establishing a new speed mark for fighting ships.

Steaming over almost the same course on which the Lexington exactly one month ago set a maritime record, the Saratoga's turbo-electric plant yesterday developed a peak of 215,518 horsepower which drove the 33,000 ton monster through the sea at a speed of 34.99 knots or more than forty statute miles an hour. The Lexington's record was 209,751 horsepower and a speed of 34.82 knots.

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GRAFT IN LETTING SCHOOL CONTRACT PAPER'S CHARGE

Cook County Officials Investigate Allegations of Paper

Chicago, Dec. 15—(AP)—Investigation of what the Herald and Examiner describes as "a far reaching conspiracy to buy and sell contracts for Board of Education work" has been started by the State's Attorney following a "dictograph investigation" conducted by the newspaper.

With the evidence obtained by the newspaper at their command, State's Attorney John A. Swanson and H. Wallace Caldwell, President of the School Board, immediately began questioning several persons whose names were contained in the stenographic notes taken from the "whispering wires" by representatives of the newspaper.

Broker Is Named
Roy W. Ammel, a broker representing cut stone contractors seeking a share of the school building business, was named as the man who assisted in obtaining much of the evidence on which the inquiry is based. Ammel dealt first with one official

then another, he said. A dictograph was installed in Ammel's office by the Herald and Examiner and representatives of the newspaper listened while Ammel talked with reputed go-betweens of the "higher-ups" until as the paper said, "the whole thing was dragged into the light."

"These underlings," the newspaper continued, "repeated promises of contracts to put Ammel's men 'in the money,' and they talked glibly of a complete honeycombing of the educational system by organized looters, buying and selling public work."

Find Much Looting
President Caldwell said he had been conducting a personal investigation and had dealt, particularly with the terra cotta contracts.

"I found," he said, "that rings controlled the awarding of contracts. These rings are composed of board employees so bold they refuse instructions from their superiors and even ignore the President of the Board."

Caldwell said that the whole administration of school money except only the educational fund, "seems to have suffered from the organized looting."

Caldwell has headed the board only

since last summer when it was reorganized following the ousting of William McAndrews as Superintendent.

NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN.

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Evening service at 7. Following the Christian Workers' meeting the Crusaders class of the Franklin Grove Brethren Sunday school will present a play, "The Empty Stocking." This service will begin at 7:30 and everyone is invited to attend.

IDENTIFIED

MASTER: Anna, your young man is waiting for you at the corner of the road.

MAID: But how did you know that he is my young man, sir?

MASTER: Because he is smoking my cigars—Lustige Blaetter, Berlin



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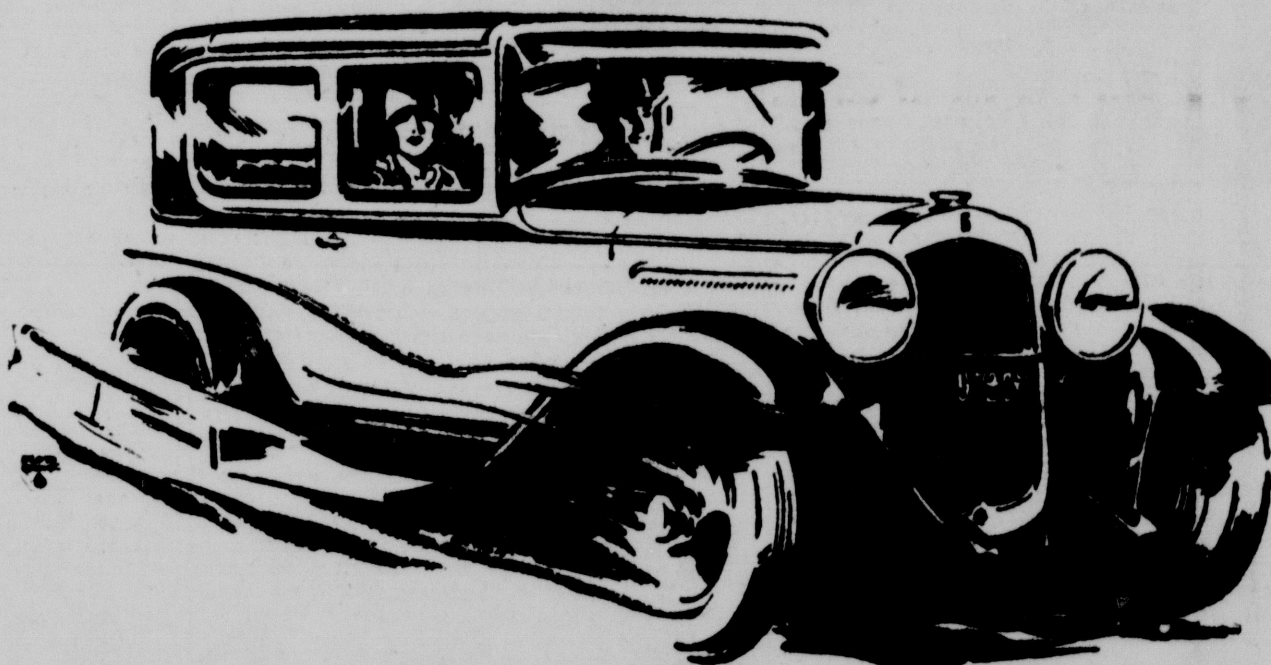
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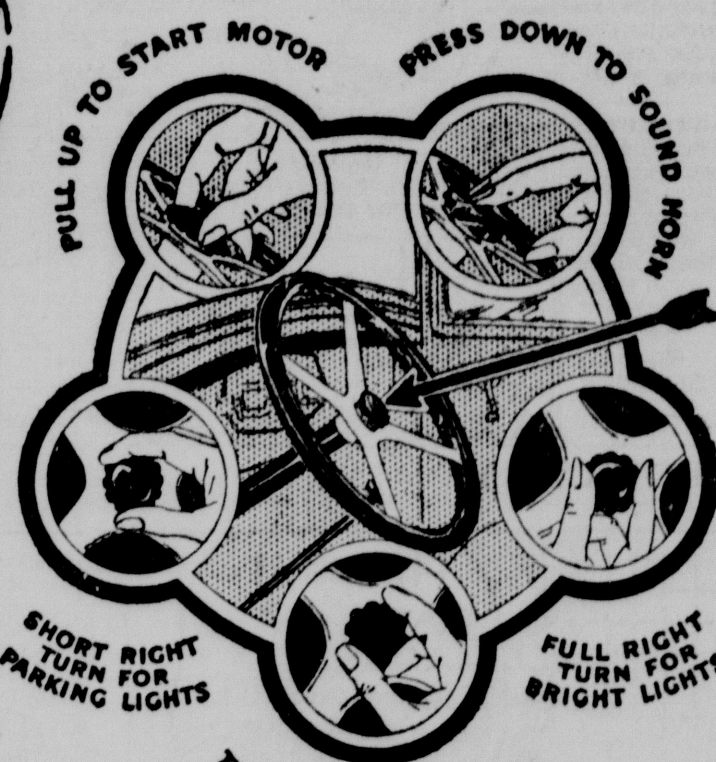
Maximum riding and driving comfort in the new Superior Whippet is assured by more spacious interiors, with 3 inches added leg room; wider seats, heavily upholstered, with improved contours conforming with natural body curves, longer springs both front and rear, full balloon tires and snubbers.

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The new Superior Whippet's higher compression engine gives more than 20% added horsepower, with far greater speed. Higher second gear speed gives faster pick-up. Low consumption of gas and oil, and dependable performance, result in marked operating economy and minimum service costs. Order now for early delivery.

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The most notable advance in driving convenience since the self-starter

The Superior Whippet is the first car to offer the new "Finger-Tip Control"—a single button conveniently located in the center of the steering wheel, which controls all functions of starting the motor, operating the lights and sounding the horn.

This ingenious device does away with all troublesome foot fumbling for the starting button, usually located in a somewhat inaccessible position, and obviates a change from the comfortable driving position to reach the light switch on the dash.

While everyone will welcome this new feature, it will appeal particularly to women drivers. Its simple operation is clearly explained by the illustrations above.

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Don't suffer from the pain and soreness of sore throat—gargles and salves are too slow—They relieve only temporarily. But Thoxine, a famous physician's prescription, is guaranteed to give relief almost instantly.

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Cosmopolitan America may not have a definite type of beauty, but England has, and here you see its personification. The Hon. Dorothy Pelline Acton, blue-eyed, fair-haired, is considered a perfect example of the English type of loveliness. She's the daughter of Lord Richard Balberg-Acton, famed diplomat and British government official.

"Now Bear This in Mind—"



Jack Dempsey won a new title the other day. This particular Jack Dempsey is a black bear belonging to Patricia Ziegfeld, daughter of the theatrical producer, and the pair of them walked off with first honors for famous pets of famous people, a benefit contest held for the New York Women's League for Animals. Jack is pictured here receiving last-minute instructions from his little manager before entering the ring.

"Astounding" Statue of Lincoln



"This is one of the most astounding statues.....It has the simplicity and forthrightness of a medieval conception of an early Christian martyr——It has expressed the inward ideals of Lincoln in terms of the physical." So said George H. Ainslie, right, president of one of the oldest art firms in America, in accepting this bronze of a nude Lincoln. The sculptor, shown at the left, is 80-year-old Merton Clivette, well known in New York's Greenwich Villagers.

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Mom and Pop Do a Sleight of Hand

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FOR SALE—Furniture and stoves. We are the oldest, the biggest and the best. Freed & Unangst Second Hand Store, 112 Peoria Ave., Phone 296. 1271f

FOR SALE—Healo, the most effective foot powder on the market. Ask any druggist for it. Only 25c box. 1271f

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FOR SALE—1925 Buick Master 6, 2-door sedan 1926 NASH Advance Coach. Wonderful buy. 2801f

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FOR SALE—1925 Touring. Good tires, mechanically O. K. \$60. 2911f

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FOR SALE—Essex sedan, latest model, \$150 reduction. We are ready to let room. Shannon Hudson-Essex Sales, Shannon, Ill. 2911f

FOR SALE—Gas stove, \$5. Phone X868. 2911f

FOR SALE—Very reasonable, 1923 Ford sedan. Good condition, good tires. Quick sale. Phone W1318 or call at 624 N. Ottawa Ave. 2911f

FOR SALE—Fine large leather music satchels, special \$2.65; also good traveling bags. Bargains in Harmonicas, Accordions, Ukuleles, Guitars. Strong Music Co. 2911f

FOR SALE OR RENT—Modern 6-room brick home, double garage, 624 N. Ottawa Ave. Inquire of Anna M. Moore, Phone 888 and R1388. 2911f

FOR SALE—Bedroom furniture, piano and boy's bicycle. Phone 1071. 411 E. McKenney St. 2911f

FOR SALE—3-tube radio set and 6-tube set, complete; Tuxedo suit, size 36, like new; grey 2-pant suit, medium shade, size 36, like new; American Climax saxophone, complete with case. Would make a wonderful Christmas gift. Enameled top kitchen table. Ford coupe, cheap. Call K684 or Y763. 2911f

FOR SALE—4 small Rock River pearls and a slug; comforters, hand pieced and tied, all new; 3 quilts, new; old fashioned china dishes; small walnut stand. 707 W. Third St. Phone K780. 2911f

FOR SALE—Cheap, 5 fine solid oak doors, 3x7, 5 panels, 2 have glass tops. Inquire of the Dixon Evening Telegraph. 2911f

FOR SALE—Oak dining room set, good condition, table, buffet, 4 chairs, also brass bed and rocking chair. Phone X928. 616 N. Dixon Ave. 2911f

FOR SALE—Boston Terrier puppies. Lella Darrah, 947 Brinton Ave. 2911f

FOR SALE—Farm lighting storage battery. Capacity 160 ampere hour, 32 volt. Used less than a year. Call Tel. 67140, C. E. McWethy. 2901f

FOR SALE—Ford Tudor Sedan. Priced for quick sale at \$135. New battery and new bands. Phone 34, or call at Campbell's Drug Store. 2911f

FOR SALE—Carload of T. B. tested Guernsey and Jersey springers and fresh cows. Cows can be seen at Hill Den farm, 1 mile west of Dixon on Lincoln Highway. Will deliver anywhere. Covert Bros., Dixon. 2911f

FOR SALE—1927 CHEVROLET COACH \$345. 1927 FORD COUPE \$295. 1925 FORD COUPE \$115. 1924 FORD COUPE \$75. CHEVROLET SEDAN \$60. C. E. MOSSHOLDER, 120 E. First St. 2911f

FOR SALE—1926 CHEVROLET SEDAN. 1927 FORD COUPE. 1925 HUP COUPE. 1925 OAKLAND SEDAN. 1927 OLDS DE LUKE SEDAN. MURRAY AUTO CO. 77 Hennepin Ave. Phone 100 2911f

FOR SALE—Vose piano, in fine condition. Price reasonable. Phone Y619. 2911f

FOR SALE—Pure bred Pekin ducks, hens and drakes, \$2 each. Pure bred Bull Orpington cockerels, \$2. E. D. Book, Phone 9900. 2911f

FOR SALE—Upholstered davenport and chair, rocking chair, lamp, chironer and bed, refrigerator, lawn mower, electric washer, fruit jars, vacuum cleaner, etc. Mrs. L. C. Johnson, Phone X438 and M806. 409 N. Dement Ave. 2911f

WANTED—Prospective brides to come in and see our beautiful new samples of engraved and printed wedding invitations and announcements. Our prices are most reasonable. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 1271f

WANTED—Our subscribers to know that they can have one of our \$1000 accident insurance policies for \$100. This policy is good for 1 year. Dixon Evening Telegraph. 1271f

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WANTED—You to know that we have a large job printing plant in connection with our newspaper and are prepared to give you service, quantity and price in anything you may wish in the job printing line. B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 1271f

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WANTED—Caring and old fashioned spint weaving. Antique refinishing. H. B. Fuller, 1021 East Champlain, Phone Y458. 2841f

WANTED—Lady cook at Ashton Hotel, Ashton, Ill. 2911f

WANTED—I wish to announce that I have purchased Greenleaf's Second-Hand Store at 216 First St. Come in and see our bargains. C. J. Guory, 2911f

WANTED—Experienced young married man wants to rent on shares a farm. Phone 44300. 2911f

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FOR RENT—3 light housekeeping rooms in a private, modern home, suitable for one or two. Breakfast if desired. Phone X593. 2911f

FOR RENT—6-room house with outside buildings, all in good condition, 5 acres of land, 8 miles north of Dixon. A. F. Dillman, Woodstock, Ill., Box 24. Phone L6. 2861f

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FOR RENT—Comfortably furnished apartment, 3 large light, well heated rooms, with bath and garage. Excellent location. Call K930. 2911f

FOR RENT—Front sleeping room in modern home, close in. Phone X983. 315 E. Second St. 2911f

FOR RENT—Suite of office rooms in downtown building. Apply at Evening Telegraph office. 1271f

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FOR RENT OR SALE—125 acres east of Dixon, south front Lincoln Highway, 1 to 5 years. Write offer. S. R. Harris, 5 N. LaSalle St., Chicago, Ill. 2871f

FOR RENT—3 modern furnished rooms and garage if desired. At 905 W. Second St. Phone B584. 2911f

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FOR RENT—6-room fully modern house. Immediate possession. P. Haley. 2911f

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LEGAL PUBLICATIONS

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

State of Illinois, Lee County, ss. Estate of Mary Lynch, deceased.

Public notice is hereby given, that the undersigned, executrix of the estate of Mary Lynch, deceased, will attend before the County Court of Lee County, at the Court House in Dixon on the 7th day of January, 1929, next, for the purpose of making a final settlement of said estate, at which time and place I will ask for an order of distribution, and will request to be discharged. All persons interested are notified to attend. Dixon, Ill., December 15th, A. D. 1928. KATHERINE LYNCH RYAN, Executrix. Henry C. Warner, Attorney. Dec 15, 22

WE REPAIR RADIIATORS IN CONNECTION with the auto repair and ignition work. George W. Keeslar, Lord Bldg., 88 Hennepin Ave. Tel. K1036 or B1193. 2521f

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REAL ESTATE FOR EXCHANGE—North side bungalow for south side home. 5-room, all modern, 2 bedrooms, dining room, living room, kitchen, bath, garage, full size basement, hot air furnace, lot 50x125, paved street, close to school and stores. Phone 1219 or W1031. T. B. Paulos, Real Estate Specialist. 2911f

CONSIGNMENT SALE—Saturday, Dec. 15th, at Freed & Sier's feed barn on Peoria Ave., commencing at 1 o'clock. List your goods early. 2911f

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES—If you have a farm that you wish to dispose of quickly send full particulars as we have several ready buyers. Rockford Farm Bureau, 607 Forest City Bank Bldg., Rockford, Ill. 2911f

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Cook. Phone 57220. 2911f

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WANTED—Girl for bookkeeping and general office work. Write letter, "X. Y. Z." in care of the Telegraph. 2911f

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Male Help Wanted

WANTED—Manager for Dixon branch store. No experience necessary. \$750 cash deposit required on goods. \$300 up monthly. Manufacturer, 112 North May St., Chicago, Ill. 2911f

WANTED—Men. Make \$90 weekly placing patented product in stores. No selling; collect when goods are sold. Write for free sample. Easton Factory, Florin, Pa. 1271f

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Loans \$10 to \$300

This old established organization by reason of large volume of business, efficient management and ample capital is now making a substantial reduction in the cost of loans up to \$300 by lowering the interest rate from the legal maximum of 3 1/2 per cent a month on unpaid principal balance to 2 1/2 per cent.

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200 loan—you save 21.00
300 loan—you save 31.50
The same proportionate saving on other amounts.

Loans may be paid in full at any time and you will only be charged for the actual time you keep the money. You get the full amount in cash—no deductions of any kind. No Endorsers. No Publicity. Quick Service.

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Phone or write and our representative will call at your home. Room 303 Tarbox Building (3rd Floor) FREEPORT, ILLINOIS

MAIN 137

FRANKLIN GROVE NEWS NOTES

Franklin Grove, Dec. 13.—The Auxiliary of the Aultenberg Legion Post met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Gonnerman. After the usual order of business the election of officers followed which resulted as follows:

President—Mrs. Grace Breunier.
1st Vice Pres.—Mrs. Louise Sidel.
2nd Vice Pres.—Mrs. Hannah Conlon.

Treas. and Sec.—Mrs. Edith Morgan.
Chaplain—Mrs. Mabel Baker.
Historian—Mrs. Mary Gonnerman.
Sergeant at Arms—Mrs. Drucilla Banker.

The Auxiliary decided to send candy to the soldiers at Elgin and request all who will to assist them. The candy should be in boxes ready to send. Leave the same at the F. D. Kelley store not later than Dec. 21. Social hour followed the business program during which refreshments were served.

Sold Out
A deal was closed Friday night whereby Leslie Stultz purchased the dairy business of Edwin Hain, to assume charge Dec. 15. Edwin has always been kind, courteous and obliging which has won him many friends and patrons, who regret very much indeed to see him leave the business. We extend hearty best wishes to the new proprietor, and feel sure that he will make the friends that the former proprietor did.

Mrs. Snyder Dies
Mrs. Wm. Snyder died early Monday morning at her home north of town. She had been in poor health for some time and her death was not unexpected. She was past seventy years of age. She leaves to mourn her passing her husband and one son Roy Snyder. Funeral services were held in the Presbyterian church Wednesday afternoon. Rev. A. Thomas having charge. The Male Quartet from the Lighthouse church sang several funeral hymns. Burial was at Scarboro.

Society Notes
The Kilo club will meet next Tuesday with Mrs. Mary Miller. Roll call—Bible verse. Leader, Mrs. Catherine Coover.

The Aid society of the Methodist church will meet with Mrs. Earl Fish, next Thursday.

The Prescilla club will meet tomorrow afternoon with Mrs. A. J. Stewart.

Shadow Social
Mrs. Viola Wagner and pupils of the Dysart school invite you to their Shadow social and program Thursday evening, Dec. 20. Ladies please bring untrimmed boxes with lunch for two. Following is the program:

Song—School, "We Want to Please You."

Recitation—Marie Black, No. 75-3-9 Reading—Evelyn Bratton, "Look Pleasant Please."

Kiddies Band—Lower Grades.
Recitation—Melvin Brucker, "A Little Boy."

Dialogue—Sheldon Hoover, Arline Vaupel, Lucille Bratton, Pearl Bannick, "Grandmother Will Decide."

Musical Reading—Mary Miller, "I've Got a Pain in My Sawdust."

A Christmas Spelling Bee—Lower Grades.

Recitation—Josephine Frost, "A Busy Mother."

Dialogue—Intermediate Grade—"A Sleigh Ride Mistake."

Reading—Mrs. Wm. Frost.
Reading—Billy Black, "My Mother Has No Girl to Wash the Dishes."

Recitation—Betty Jane Bettendorf, "Secrets."

Duet—Marie and Billy Black—"Sparklin' Peggy Jane."

Dialogue—Marie Black and Mary Jean Miller, "Busy Little Maids."

Duet—Mrs. Blanche Eisenberg, and Mrs. Evelyn Kranov.

March—Pop Corn—First and Second Grades.

Dialogue—Upper Grades—Bargain Day.

Song—School—Kris Kringle.

Fissel-Aitfish

Mr. and Mrs. Aitfish, 650 West Avon street, Rockford, announce the wedding of their daughter Helen to Kenneth Fissel, which took place April 17 at Sterling, Ill. Rev. H. B. Barton, pastor of the United Brethren church, performing the ceremony. The bride and groom have kept their secret and the announcement comes as a great surprise to their many friends.

The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacobs of Harlem township, a graduate of the Prepost school and is employed by the Roxana Petroleum Co. at Rockford, where the young couple will reside. The bride also attended the high school and has been for the past two years a valued clerk at Spurgeon's. Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fissel are former residents of this place and their son Ken neth has a host of relatives and friends here who will wish him and his bride much happiness.

Telephone Change
A change rate is to be planned by the Farmers Telephone Co. Heretofore free service has always been allowed between the local and the exchange of other companies in adjacent cities. This arrangement has brought forth protests from the other companies, while the scores of unemployed calls delayed attention of the real ones. The proposed toll change awaits the decision of the Illinois Commerce Commission.

Obituary
Anton Schott was born in Bradford township, Lee county, Ill., April 1, 1856 and died at his home in Franklin Grove, Ill., Dec. 4, 1928, death being caused by heart trouble which brought the end suddenly.

He was the son of John and Catherine Schott, both deceased. His early life was spent in farming. A few years he lived in Geneva but most of his wife was lived in Franklin Grove, where he was widely known, well liked citizen. He married Miss Therese, Bates of Cteward Ill., Jan. 13, 1879, who died Aug. 29, 1922. Three children were born to them, Barbara died in infancy, Emma died at the age of

nine, Theresa Dysart, wife of H. H. Dysart who died April 1, 1928. One brother and three sisters survive.

John Schott, Tocka, Wash., Mrs. Catherine Weishaar and Miss Mary Schott of Howard, S. D., and Mrs. Ludwina Hardesty of Highmore, S. D.

Funeral services were conducted in St. Patrick's Catholic church in Dixon on Friday morning Rev. Father Foley conducting the service. Interment being in the Franklin cemetery.

Among those from a distance attending the funeral were E. J. Full, a nephew of Mr. Schott, of Chicago Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Arnold, Charles and Frank Zoeller of Dixon, Mrs. Bruce Hardesty of Highmore, S. D., Frank Herriman and daughter of Rochelle, Henry Bates and daughter and John Herrmann of Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Snyder and Miss Alpha Snyder of Steward, Adam Weber and daughters of Mendota, Andrew Weber and daughter, Miss Emma Hinkle and Miss R. Berscheid of Chicago.

W. C. T. U. Notes
The W. C. T. U. met at the home of Mrs. Wm. Holley Friday afternoon. After the devotion and roll call the usual order of business called attention. Realizing that all clubs and societies are busy at this time with their many activities, still the W. C.

T. U. would like to ask the kind-hearted ladies of Franklin Grove to contribute to a shower of common table bibs for the small children (and there are many) at the McFarland children's home at Rockford. Mrs. C. W. Trostle with Mrs. C. W. Lahman have them in charge. They will be glad to give you patterns and answer any questions you may ask. They would like to have the box reach the home by Christmas.

Following the business part of the meeting Mrs. Ives read a message from the National W. C. T. U. to President-elect Hoover and his reply. Mrs. Miller read "Give Prohibition a Chance." Mrs. Trostle read "The Liquor Traffic Has Had Its Day." A treat of pop corn and dates stuffed with maple fondant served by the hostess was very much enjoyed with a social half hour. Adjourned to meet with Mrs. Lorenzo Mattern Jan. 4.

Christmas Tree
Franklin Grove has a lovely tree in place on Main street, known as Community Tree. The lights will be turned on as soon as the weather will permit more work on the tree. A program will be given which will be announced later in this column.

Church Notes
Presbyterian—Sunday school at 9:30; Preaching at 7:00 o'clock by

the Pastor Rev. Albert Thomas.

Methodist—Sunday school at 9:30, preaching at 10:30. Subject of morning service, "The Coming Christ." Mid-week service Tuesday night at 7 o'clock. At 8:00 choir rehearsal.

Brethren church—Sunday school at 9:30; preaching at 10:30. Y. P. D. at 7:00 and preaching at 7:45.

St. Paul's Lutheran—Church service at 1:30.

The siren called the fire department and a lot of other folks to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Wetzel, Saturday afternoon. Fortunately there was but little damage. Sparks from the chimney had set fire to the roof.

Mr. George W. Johnston was at Maywood Thursday, where she attended the funeral of her niece, Mrs. Giersbach, who succumbed succeeding an operation. The deceased was the daughter of the late Anne Lindquist, who died in July.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kinney and family moved Monday to a farm south of Ashton. They resided in the J. C. Weigle property in the east part of town, known as the William Taubheim place.

Roy Cook is employed at the Hussey & Son lumber yard, filling the place made vacant by Edmond Backer, who, in company with Warren

Mong left Sunday for Portland, Oregon, to take a course of training in the lumber mills at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hanson and daughter of Chicago were week-end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Schafer.

Clarence Hosten and William Felker of Oak Park were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Simpson of Villa Park were visitors Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Maronde.

Mrs. Carrie Crawford left Monday for Spokane, Washington, where she will visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Blanche Cryor, the rest of the winter.

Mrs. Ellen Barnhart of Filer, Ida., died in that city and the remains were brought to Decatur, Illinois for burial. Charles Barnhart of this place attended the burial, the deceased being his mother.

Mrs. Amelia Petrie and daughter, Mrs. Minnie Bolen were in Ashton Sunday, where they spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Petrie.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Herwig of Ashton had as their guests for Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. William

Herwig, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Herwig and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Herwig and son Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Parkhurst and son James, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Randall and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ramsdell and family, all of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Hara and Mrs. Fred Schader were Dixon visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Harris had as their guests for dinner Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. David Barkman, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Riddlesbarger, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Wingert and daughter Ada.

The bazaar and food sale by the ladies of the Presbyterian church netted over \$135, which is very good for a town of this size.

Misses Mary Underwood and Arlene Huffman of Dixon were week-end visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Group.

Mr. and Mrs. Blain Hussey had as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs.

Charles Jenkins of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Zarger and daughter of Dixon.

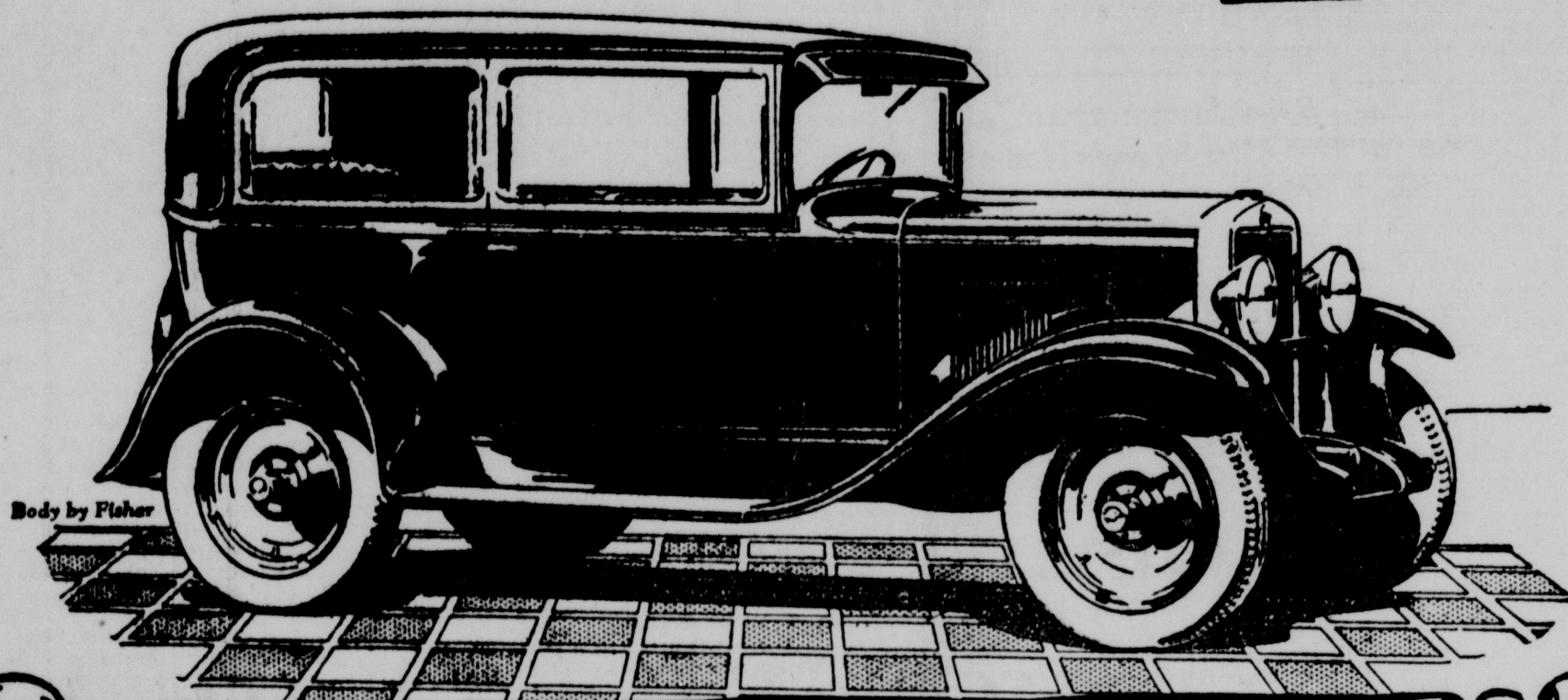
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Stultz moved Tuesday from the Ed Knouse residence in the west part of town to the Royster place, known as the Mary Brown residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wichy of Chicago were Franklin visitors Tuesday.

President and Mrs. Oscar Neher and children of Mt. Morris were Sunday visitors at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Neher. Professor Neher occupied the pulpit Sunday morning at the church of the Brethren.

Joan and Bobbie Fish were entertained with dinner Sunday by Lucille and Bobbie Yocum it being the birthday anniversary of the Yocum children.

Mildred and Joan Wasson returned home Tuesday from a weeks visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Wasson at Amboy.



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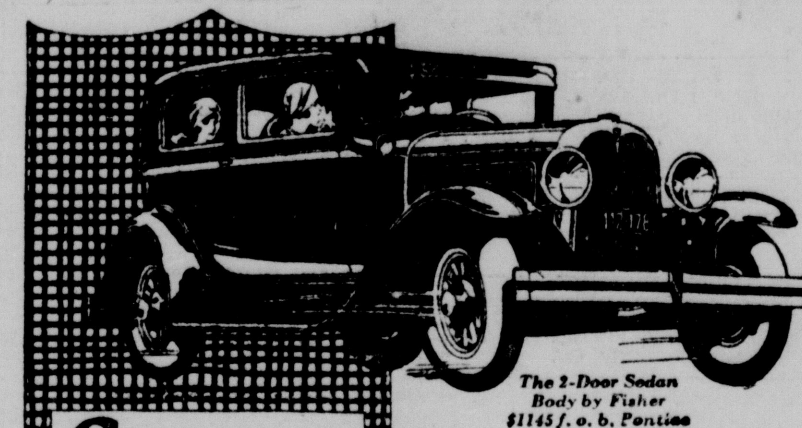
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